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GIVE CHILDREN LATEST HISTORY

Teachers Resolve to Do this before Adjourning. Want Substantial Raise.

TWENTY FIVE PER CENT

That is Increase that Men and Women in Adams County Schools Think they should Have.

Adams County's school teachers, before adjourning the sessions of the sixty fourth annual institute this morning, passed a resolution that they "make current history a strong part of our course, that our pupils may have a live interest in the reconstruction period now before us".

The teachers also expressed their approval of the retirement fund as outlined by the State, and then embodied this paragraph in their formal action:

"Resolved that this institute indorse the state-wide movement for an increase of twenty five per cent in teachers' salaries, that a copy of this resolution be sent to our representative in the legislature and that, further, each individual teacher of this institute show his or her interest in such legislation by becoming a member of the State Teachers' Association."

The set of resolutions expressed sympathy to Superintendent Roth in his illness supplementing the testimonial taken to him Thursday in the form of a large basket of choice roses. Assistant Superintendent Shank was congratulated on his conduct of the institute in the absence of Prof. Roth.

Other provisions of the resolution adopted by the teachers were an expression of appreciation to all those who had contributed to the success of the institute; an endorsement of the movement to form Junior Red Cross societies in every school; the adoption of Commissioner Claxton's slogan, "A Parent Teachers' Association in Every District or School"; and the favoring of any form of community meeting, especially with singing as an important feature of all such programs.

A special committee reported favoring the holding of the annual county spelling contest along the same general lines as those followed in recent years. The report was adopted.

W. A. Taughinbaugh and Clinton A. Tawney were named as auditors by the committee appointed to make such nomination.

Announcement was made that the following officers had been elected by the Principals' Association: president, Harvey E. Swartz; vice president, Samuel Johnson; secretary, Miss Nellie Blocher; member of executive committee, Walter D. Reynolds. A program was outlined for the mid-winter meeting in February. A program was also announced for the meeting of the Primary Teachers' Association here at the same time.

At this morning's session Miss McAllister, of State College, addressed the teachers on the subject of the vocational schools and spoke at some length on the matters of fuel, clothing, and food.

With the close of the morning program the institute passed into history. Illness kept away a number of the teachers and the gathering missed very much the presence of County Superintendent Roth. The preparing of a program was hampered by conditions arising out of the influenza epidemic, but the week's sessions were pleasant and profitable and the teachers will doubtless take up their work next Monday with renewed interest and enthusiasm.

CHRISTMAS candies, nuts, oranges, dried fruits, etc. Gettysburg Department Store.—advertisement 1

HOUSE for rent, all conveniences, garage. Inquire Times office.—advertisement 1

BUY Xmas presents early. We are ready. Buy early. People's Drug Store.—advertisement 1

ROCK fish and bass, 25 cents pound. Buohl's.—advertisement 1

LOST: automobile crank. Return Times office.—advertisement 1

SHELL oysters sixty cents quart. Buohl's.—advertisement 1

STEAK fish, 15 cents pound. Buohl's.—advertisement 1

EXTENDING SINGS TO COUNTY TOWNS

Would Have All Communities Singing Weekly. Many Chairmen are Named.

The victory sings are not to be confined to Gettysburg in the future. It is the plan to have weekly programs at no less than a dozen places in the county every week. In Gettysburg they will continue to be held Sunday evenings. Elsewhere the time and church or other gathering place will be announced by the directors.

I. L. Taylor, chairman, Community Singing Association of Adams County, appoints the following local chairmen of community sings for their district:

Abbottstown, Samuel A. Johnston; Arendtsville, H. C. Lady; Bendersville, Harvey W. Knouse; Biglerville, Harvey E. Swartz; East Berlin, William P. Baker; Fairfield, Charles A. Landis; Littlestown, Roy D. Knouse; McKnightstown and Cashtown to be held at Flohr's Church, Clarence A. Bream; McSherrystown, Howard S. Reigle; New Oxford, C. E. Tawney; York Springs, W. Roy Starry.

There is a great deal of musical talent in the various parts of the county and it may be that some of these singers will contribute their services at various places. It will continue to be the idea, however, to have the people take part generally in the singing and to have on the programs many songs which are now familiar or soon will be.

CHANCE TO SHOW FINE VEGETABLES

Adams County Truckers will Have Opportunity at this State Exhibit.

One of the features of the State Farm Products Show which will be held at Harrisburg January 21, 22, 23 and 24 will be the display of vegetables which is being arranged by the State Horticultural Association of Pennsylvania.

With thousands of amateur gardeners throughout the State growing prize vegetables during the past season and with the exceptional large showing of fine specimens at the county exhibits, the display at Harrisburg is expected to eclipse all those of former years. The competition is open to anyone who has some choice vegetable that they desire to show. The exhibits may be sent to Harrisburg in order to reach the Department of Agriculture not later than January 20 and they will be entered in the show. There are no entry charges, but cash premiums will be awarded to all winners.

There are throughout the State many amateur gardeners who have grown beets, carrots, turnips, celery, onions, cabbage, and other vegetables that will compare favorably if not eclipse the efforts of the professional truckers. All of those choice collections will make a fine State display and growers are urged to enter in order to encourage the vegetable end of the show.

$34 FOR CALF

Only Four Weeks Old and Brings that Price.

Probably the highest priced four weeks' old calf ever sold in Huntington township was purchased this week by J. R. Lischy. The owner, M. J. Beitman, received a check for $34 for the calf which was of Holstein breed and weighed 200 pounds.

STORAGE eggs 55 cents per dozen. These are good eggs, only in storage a short time. Fine for all cooking and baking purposes. Gettysburg Department Store.—advertisement 1

XMAS GIFTS. Safety razors. Straight blade razors. Combs, brushes, mugs, straps, shaving brushes etc., at H. B. Sefton's.—advertisement 1

HUNTERS' dance. Oyster supper. Bring a girl in, and leave your gun outside. St. Ignatius' Hall, Buchanan Valley, Saturday, December 7th.—advertisement 1

TEACHERS: Xmas cards and Xmas goods ready for your inspection. Buy early. People's Drug Store.—advertisement 1

H. B. Bender will have auction of a large lot of household goods, etc., in front of the Court House, on Saturday.—advertisement 1

OUR WOUNDED AT CARLISLE MAYBE

Or at Big Base Hospital at Camp Meade. Speculation here over Return.

PROMISED CLOSE TO HOME

Relatives may then Visit their Soldiers who are Recovering from Wounds Received.

Adams County's list of men wounded in the World War will approach close to forty, reports so far received indicate. Where these men will be treated after returning to America and before being sent to their own homes is a question now concerning all the relatives and many of the friends of the men who risked their lives for democracy and who so narrowly escaped being killed on the fields of France.

Dispatches from Washington this week tell that plans have been announced by the War Department under which all wounded men returning from France will go to hospitals within three hundred miles of the homes of their nearest relatives. Other dispatches tell that the general hospital at Carlisle, recently organized and equipped through the use of the old Indian School buildings, will be one of the retreats to which American soldiers wounded in the war will be brought for recovery. It is the hope that this institution, so readily accessible to the people of this community, will be the one to which our own boys will be brought.

In the event that Carlisle is not selected it is believed that the Adams County men may be taken to one of three other places, or possibly distributed among them. These are the big base hospital at Fort McHenry near Baltimore, the Walter Reid General Hospital in Washington, or the base hospital at Camp Meade. All of these places are within comparatively easy reach of Gettysburg.

In telling to th ir plans for caring for the returning wounded it is made public at Washington that base hospitals at training camps have been turned over to the surgeon general, providing seventy five hospitals. Fifty thousand men are expected to be sent to these institutions within the next four months.

How many of these will be taken to Camp Meade is not indicated.

Almost next in interest to where Adams County's wounded will be sent is the possible point of mustering out her men in the service. Camp Meade is to be one of the big demobilization centers for the American army units made up of men from Maryland, Eastern and Central Pennsylvania, Northern Virginia, West Virginia and Delaware. These will include the National Guard divisions as well as the National Army units.

While the majority of Adams County's soldiers are in the National Army, there are many others in the regiments which were made up from the old Pennsylvania National Guard. This county had a noteworthy representation in the famous Iron Division, with the 109th Regiment having quite a sprinkling of youths from this county. In addition there are a number of our boys in Regular Army regiments who volunteered for the "duration of the war." How soon they will be mustered out after peace has formally been declared is a matter for speculation.

EDUCATIONAL MEETING

First of the Year Held at Mt. Hope School.

The first educational meeting of Hamiltonban township was held at Mt. Hope School. Miss Daisy Currens, teacher, on Friday evening. The meeting was well attended by patrons and friends of the school. Miss Sharretts gave a talk on "Some Causes to be Thankful." Miss Helen Wisotzkey, of Littlestown, sang two solos.

The next meeting of the township will be announced later.

H. B. Sefton has the finest assortment of pipes in town. Cigars, cigarettes, smokers' tobacco bags, cigar lighters, cigars by box for Christmas gifts. See them.—advertisement 1

WATCH for Bender's display advertisement of the public auction to be held on Saturday.—advertisement 1

WANTED: young lady to learn bookkeeping. Address in handwriting, "K", care Times.—advertisement 1

EXPENSE ACCOUNTS

Candidates at Fall Election Have Filed them.

Edward S. Brooks, successful Republican candidate for Congress from the York-Adams district, has filed an expense account of $4017.03. Of this $1000 was contributed to the York County committee and $800 to the Adams County committee. A large part of the remainder was paid for advertising.

Hon. A. R. Brodbeck has not filed his expense account here.

C. Arthur Griest, successful Republican candidate for the State Legislature, has filed an account of $401.15 of which $250 went to the county committee; while J. I. Heretter, his opponent, spent $482.50, $300 of which was his contribution to the party committee. C. W. Bucher has not filed.

MRS. MICHAEL R. RUPP

Funeral Services will be Held in York on Saturday.

Mrs. Sophie F. Rupp, wife of Michael Riter Rupp, died Thursday morning at 7 o'clock at her home in York. Death was due to pneumonia. She was thirty four years, two months and ten days old at the time of her death.

Mrs. Rupp was the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. K. L. Eisenhart, of Green Gables, on the Lincoln Highway, east of York. She leaves her husband, her parents and one brother, Kurvin Eisenhart, now in France with an engineers' corps.

The funeral will be held from the home Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, and will be private.

WOUNDED IN ACTION

Young Soldier Selected for Service by Local Board.

William Paul, residing on a farm about eight miles south of Gettysburg, has received word that his son, Howard Paul, was severely wounded in action on October 29th. He was selected by the Adams County board and trained at Camp Meade, going across with the 79th Division early in the summer. The family were former residents of Pittsburgh, the father several years ago purchasing the farm on which they now reside.

MRS. IRVIN P. HULL

A Former Resident of Littlestown Died on Thursday.

Mrs. Viola Hull, wife of Irvin P. Hull, of Hanover, died at noon Thursday from pneumonia, aged 34 years. She was the only daughter of Mrs. Annie Eichelberger, of Littlestown, and ten years ago was married to Irvin P. Hull, eldest son of George Hull, of Hanover.

Besides her mother and her husband, she leaves two children, Robert E., and Mary Elizabeth Hull.

THERE EVERY DAY

Pupils Perfect in Attendance at County School.

Those perfect in attendance at Grape Vine School, Butler township, during the second month of school were: Etta Decker, Dorothy Hankey, May Belle Steinour, Viola Allison, Oneida Beisecker, Utha Van Dyke, Hazel Van Dyke, Syrus Decker, Lester Decker, Arthur Topper, Luther Topper, Elomor Schriver, Harold E. Taylor, teacher.

BEITLER—STAIR

Newlyweds Go to Housekeeping on Farm Near Two Taverns.

Miss May Stair, of near Two Taverns, and J. Clair Beitler, of near Gettysburg, were married Thursday, November 28th, at 8:30 p. m., at St. John's Lutheran church parsonage, Littlestown, by the bride's pastor, Rev. I. M. Lau. They will go to housekeeping on the Jacob Snyder farm near Two Taverns.

LOST: between Gettysburg and York Springs, Thursday evening, one hundred pound sack of bran. Finder notify C. B. Gardner, R1, York Springs.—advertisement 1

CALL to see our handmade Xmas gifts: dressed dolls, doll furniture, etc. Eicholtz's Music Store, 5 York street.—advertisement 1

FOR SALE: two sows with pigs by their side. Felix Florence, Two Taverns.—advertisement 1

ORANGE special at Minter's. Saturday only; 18 cents dozen, two dozen 35 cents.—advertisement 1

ASK STUDENTS TO CONTINUE WORK

Many Reasons why they Should not Quit Gettysburg, Paper States.

WOULD LOSE SCHOOL YEAR

And Earning Capacity would not be Increased. Try to Keep up Present Attendance.

"Look before you leap" urges this week's "Gettysburgian", the publication of the students at college, which presents all possible arguments to keep the enrollment at the institution up to its present mark, and to avoid a general exodus of students with the mustering out of the military unit. In an editorial the publication says:

"The crashing events of a month have brought Gettysburg S. A. T. C. men from the pursuit of an intense, rigid military program face to face with the near event of the college curriculum on a college basis. This tremendous twist of events places both the S. A. T. C. men and the college in an unique situation. The men stand divided in their intentions with respect to finishing the college year at Gettysburg.

"The college encounters all the difficulties that accompany the withdrawal of government financial support until June. The college will exert her utmost ability to help the students. The students in turn owe their co-operation and support to the institution. Such co-operation requires that the individual hold himself responsible for the assumption under which he applied for entrance to this college S. A. T. C. unit. Personal honor will not permit indiscriminate retirement from college. There are three main reasons by which the men would justify quitting:

"1. The desire for a rest from the strain and grind of strict military discipline, coupled with scholastic work. Such an implication is hardly worthy of a man of college calibre. The man for whose recuperation Christmas vacation will not be sufficient probably needs a different sort of stimulation to fit him for college.

"2. The feeling that a bad start with respect to educational values has been made; and the desire to start over again with a new school year. It should be remembered here that while much of the work has little value as practical information, or in educational principles, yet it has been of a disciplinary character. Since education is largely a matter of mental discipline, this work should not be regarded as lost time, but as valuable training in mental adaptability and concentration. In addition credits will be given for this work, so that, when added to those for the completion of the courses as arranged from the beginning of the second term until June, will enable the student to get a full year of credits. This term, isolated from the students' course by the intervention of a year will be practically valueless to him.

"3. Again come the objections from the financial standpoint. Theoretically this argument is unsound. Funds are always available at a reasonable rate of interest. The college man's earning ability after the completion of his course so far exceeds his present ability that the decision to earn his way through college before entering appears foolish. Dropping out of college now invites an additional danger. The ambition for the pursuit of intellectual development is often lost. This change robs the individual of his highest self-realization, and society of the products of his enlarged capacity for usefulness.

"In view of these circumstances under which it is plain that no advantage is in store for the quitting student by virtue of such a move; it is evident that it is his duty to remain in college; thereby doing his honest bit toward making a temporarily weakened institution flourish in strength and usefulness."

ORANGE special at Minter's, Saturday only; 18 cents dozen, two dozen 35 cents.—advertisement 1

CARLOAD of manure spreaders. Gettysburg Department Store.—advertisement 1

LOST: recently, heart-shaped pin, formed of pearls. Reward. Return Times office.—advertisement 1

LARGE juicy oranges, 20 cents dozen. Buohl's.—advertisement 1

MORE KNITTERS BADLY NEEDED

Men in France must Have More Clothing if they are to Keep Warm.

The Gettysburg Chapter of the Red Cross has received the following letter from Mrs. Henry Brinton Coxe, superintendent of Knitting of the Pennsylvania Delaware Division.

"We are informed by National Headquarters", says Mrs. Coxe, "that in addition to other demands for sweaters and socks, the Red Cross Commission in France have cabled that they can use all the knitted articles which we can send by January first. And they urge us to have all the stocks of yarn in our division made up into sweaters and socks prior to January first. The commission ask us to impress upon our knitters, that to give real relief to our men who must stay in France, our knitted articles must leave here in time to reach their destination during the present winter."

The chapter has an ample supply of yarn for its allotment of 800 sweaters and 1300 pairs of socks; it has not yet, however, a sufficient supply of knitters. If our boys are to be kept warm we must fill our allotments and do more if possible.

SHOP EARLY AND AVOID THE FLU

So Warns Dr. Royer. Flare-ups may be Expected during Winter.

That there is danger in crowds, but that Christmas shoppers can avoid these dangers if they will shop early and avoid the crowded hours, is the statement made by Dr. B. F. Royer, acting commissioner of health.

"With the approach of the holiday season", said Doctor Royer, "too much stress cannot be laid on the necessity of avoiding crowding in the stores, many of which are poorly ventilated. The influenza epidemic has not passed, and reports from various sections of the state show that there are 'flare-ups' of the disease in many communities. These will probably occur throughout the winter. I doubt if there is a community in the state which can truthfully say that it is free from influenza.

"This disease is spread largely through droplets caused by sneezing, coughing and spitting. It is particularly a disease spread in crowds and poorly ventilated places. Therefore, the unusual and unnecessary crowding so common in the stores during the Christmas shopping season is sure to result in more influenza unless the people protect themselves.

"Let the Christmas buying begin at home. Those who are eleventh hour shoppers will do well to remember this warning. The storekeepers should co-operate by beginning immediately to display their holiday goods and to hire sufficient sales forces to handle the increased business without taxing the capacity of their clerks and necessitating the crowding of aisles.

"A recurrence of the recent terrible epidemic would be a sad ending for the approaching holiday season, and this can be prevented if people will avoid conditions which tend to spread the influenza."

APPROVE EXTRADITION

United States Believed to be with Allies on this.

(By Cable)

Paris, Dec. 6—America will support the movement of the Allies to extradite the former Kaiser, according to reliable sources. The details of the legal procedure have not yet been worked out. It is expected that his extradition will be demanded on general charges.

TO DICTATE POLICY

Britain's Attitude on League of Nations Idea.

(By Cable)

London, Dec. 6—Lord Cecil has been named to have in his hands the direction of Great Britain's policy on the plan for a league of nations.

FOR SALE: two fresh cows. Several shoats. E. S. Shriver, Two Taverns.—advertisement 1

CLAMS, 25 cents dozen. Buohl's.—advertisement 1

SEE Oyler and Spanglers add on another page.—advertisement 1

WILSON TO AID IN RELIEF WORK

And will Call for Some of his Advisers after Reaching France.

ONE OF MANY PURPOSES

American Naval Program Waits for Result of President's Mission on Freedom of Seas.

(By Wireless)

On Board the U. S. S. "George Washington," Dec. 6—President Wilson will summon other officials to France soon after landing, to aid in directing the distribution of American foodstuffs and raw materials to the stricken European countries.

Bernard Baruch, chairman of the War Industries Board, will probably be one of those named for the work.

The "George Washington" has maintaintd an average speed of 17 knots an hour and at the time this d patch is filed is 600 miles due east of New York.

(By Telegraph)

Washington, Dec. 6—America's plans for the expansion of her Navy depends largely on the result of President Wilson's visit to Europe. This is admitted here to-day by those in position to speak.

One of the President's main purposes in making his present trip is to dissuade Great Britain from her desire for unbridled sea supremacy, and to persuade that country to pool her navy in the international sea force which is to be used to preserve order.

It is the President's great desire that the "armed camp" spirit be removed everywhere.

If England refuses the President's request it is freely admitted that the United States will immediately formulate a naval program that will make this country England's equal on the seas, and possibly her superior. If England agrees to Mr. Wilson's plans, the naval program will be somewhat relaxed.

MAY GO TO BERLIN

Germany Hears Americans will Actually Go there.

(By Cable)

Copenhagen, Dec. 6—The Deutsche Allegemeine Zeitung publishes an alleged American wireless dispatch declaring that American and Allied troops will occupy Berlin, in order to provide for policing.

A dispatch from Heidelberg said that the Workmen's and Soldiers' Council announced that the French would occupy Heidelberg and Mannheim. The action is threatened because a watchman had killed three French prisoners.

SOUTH AMERICA AGAIN

Countries there Continue to Have Difficulties.

(By Cable)

Lima, Peru, Dec. 6—The Peruvian Cabinet has resigned. Auselm Barretto has been asked to form a new ministry.

The Chilean government will ask Great Britain to return her two dreadnoughts requisitioned during the war.

GERMANY GETS BILL

Cost of Occupying her Country will be Heavy.

(By Cable)

London, Dec. 6—The French armistice commission announced that Germany must bear the expenses of the armies of occupation.

The expenses include $13,500,000 on behalf of the American Army, and $10,000,000 on behalf of the British.

FIGHTING AT ESSEN

Munitions City Sees Riots as Soldiers Come Home.

(By Cable)

Amsterdam, Dec. 6—Violent fighting took place in Essen when returning soldiers attempted to lower the red flag. Several persons were killed during the riot. The outcome of the fighting has not been learned.

THE WEATHER

Fair and cooler to-night. Saturday fair.

PLENTY of whitings at five cents pound. Buohl's.—advertisement 1

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HARDEN MAKES GREAT EXPOSE

Speech at Hamburg Roused Audience to High Pitch of Excitement.

KAISER WAS TOLD TRUTH

After First Battle of the Marne in 1914 Emperor William was Informed War was Lost.

Amsterdam, Dec. 6—"Majesty, the war is lost!"

Helmuth von Moltke, then Chief of the General Staff of the German Army, made this declaration to the Kaiser in September, 1914, just after the turning point in the first battle of the Marne, when the German legions were stopped short by Joffre at the gates of Paris and had begun their great retreat.

Maximilian Harden, the famous editor of Die Zukunft, made this revelation in a sensational speech at Hamburg on October 27 last, on the eve of the German upheaval.

"Bernstorff told me", said Herr Harden in the course of his speech, "that to the very last moment of his stay in Washington he had lied and lied and lied to President Wilson without knowing that he was lying. The Foreign Office told Bernstorff to say one thing and then proceeded to do the other."

Urged To Look At Facts

Only brief excerpts of Harden's speech were permitted to get out of Germany at the time, and the full text of what he said is only now available from German newspapers reaching here.

In opening his address, Harden expressed the hope that the dying days of the year would bring an armistice and peace.

"But an imperative pre-condition for either", he continued, "is that we make ourselves free from traditions and preconceived ideas, that we look into the future with clear eyes and keen judgment, and that we mercilessly draw the line between that which was and that which is.

"Many hopes have been shattered and buried. Events have hammered the realization into all brains that it is impossible to vanquish three or four-fifths of the world's inhabitants.

"It was a mistake which was bound to bear bitter vengeance, to measure this war by the standards of former wars, and it will be a new grave mistake to base upon those standards false conceptions of honor in connection with the possible outcome.

Chance For Victory Lost

"Once, perhaps, there was a period in this war when victory in the ancient sense slipped past us by a hair's breadth, in September, 1914.

"But the Marne retreat which wrecked the plan of overrunning France, gave a different turn to the war. The clear-thinking and clear-seeing Moltke at that time—in September, 1914—went to the Kaiser and said: 'Majesty, the war is lost!'"

In reporting this juncture of the speech, the Hamburg papers describe the great audience as being seized by a tremendous emotion. There were wild cries of "Hear! Hear!" and for several minutes there was such restlessness and noise that the speaker had to wait. Harden's accurate sources of information always have been his chief asset. There have been times when he proved in court sensational revelations of another nature and there was not one in that Hamburg audience who doubted his word. However, when he quoted Moltke's words, the realization that they had been deceived in an unbelievable systematic manner for four years seemed to break upon his hearers with crushing force. When calm was restored Harden continued:

Ignored Bismarck's Policy

"Triumph had escaped us then and there—at the Marne, in September, 1914. But even if triumph had been ours it would have left us friendless and joyless in the world, but it was then that the first opportunity to make a good peace was missed, for the reason that those in control of the gigantic undertaking looked upon it always through military, never through political eyes."

Like to Be an Alligator?

Alligators have to be fed on meat, but they need no food from September 1 to May 1, for that is their hibernating season, when they do not eat at all. Alligator skins are used for making bags, suitcases, purses, belts, cushion covers, etc., and the teeth and bones are made into cuff links, paper knives, whistles and many forms of cheap jewelry and ornaments. It has been said that the state of Florida receives more than a million dollars a year from trade in alligators.

Tools to Make a Rifle.

Nine hundred and ninety-seven cutting tools alone are required in manufacturing a modern rifle. The twist drill is one of the busiest of these. To supply 1,000,000 rifles, 94,000,000 holes must be drilled. Shrapnel, torpedoes, machine guns, biplanes, motor trucks and anti-aircraft guns require from 70 to 5,000 holes each.

LETS GO OF STEAMSHIP LINES

Four Big Concerns Go Back to Private Control.

Washington, Dec. 6—The Clyde, Mallory, Merchants and Miners' and Southern Steamship Companies were relinquished from federal control last night by order of Director General McAdoo. Steamship companies owned by railroads will be retained under management of the Railroad Administration.

The four lines turned back to private management were taken over by the government April 13 under war powers of the President and their operation consolidated with other steamship lines under the Railroad Administration. The relinquishing order became effective at midnight last night, but for accounting purposes it is regarded as effective from December 1.

MAY KEEP HELGOLAND

British Not to Ask Germany to Return It.

London, Dec. 6—The British naval authorities have decided that it will be unnecessary to demand the return of Helgoland to Great Britain from Germany, Winston Spencer Churchill, the minister of munitions, announced in a speech at Dundee.

Mr. Churchill also said the government had decided upon the nationalization of the railways.

FOR BAN ON CONSCRIPTION

Britain to Demand Absolute Abolition in Europe.

Dundee, Dec. 6—The British representatives at the peace conference will demand general and absolute abolition of conscription throughout Europe.

Winston Spencer Churchill made this announcement in a speech here.

ELEVEN KILLED AND MANY HURT

Explosion Occurred at Priming House of DuPont Works at Pompton.

Pompton Lakes, N. J., Dec. 6—Eleven men were killed and 23 injured here late yesterday by four explosions which destroyed the detonator assembling building of the DuPont cap works, and shook the country side for miles around. Fire, which followed the explosions, were confined to the one unit and the property loss was said to be slight.

With the first blasts hundreds of men, women and children who had relatives working at the plant, hastened to the scene, but because of possible danger to them guards barred them at the gates. As soon as it was possible the injured were rushed to the company's hospital at Haskel. It is feared that four or five of the injured may die. Officials of the company said they believed an employe at work assembling French fuse detonators, which are filled with fulminate of mercury, had dropped one of them. Exploding this set off the stock in the building which, officials claimed, contained only 25 or 30 pounds of fulminate.

The assembling building, located on a slight hill, was widely separated from the other units comprising the plant, which are scattered for two or three miles up a narrow valley. The killed and injured were all at work in this structure, but officials said a few others also employed there had escaped. The company employed in all approximately 4,000 persons at its Pompton Lakes Plant.

CASUALTY LIST FROM OVERSEAS

Those Killed, Wounded, Captured, and Missing Reported by Pershing.

Washington, Dec. 6—The following casualties are reported by the Commanding General of the American Expeditionary Forces:

Killed in action	205
Dead from disease	296
Wounded severely	195
Wounded, degree undetermined	390
Wounded slightly	588
Dead from wounds	41
Dead from accidents and other causes	5
Dead from airplane accident	3
Missing in action	117
Total	1759

In the above list:

Private Jacob Walter Smith, of Greencastle, is wounded slightly.

Private William Franger Flickinger, of York, is wounded slightly.

Be Kind and Patient.

There is more special grace requisite and manifest in watchful perseverance in little kindnesses and habitual patience at home, in abstinence from conversational disparagement of others, and in resistance to habits of sloth and undue self-indulgence in private life than in the performance of great public duties under the observation of multitudes.

AWARDS WAR'S HIGHEST HONOR

Whittlesey, McMurtry, and Neibaur are Valorous Men, Record Shows.

TWO IN LOST BATTALION

Citations Given out by War Department. First to Win Medals during War with Germany.

Washington, Dec. 6—Three American soldiers—a colonel, a captain and a private—have been designated by President Wilson to receive the highest military decoration given by the United States for valor in action, the Congressional Medal of Honor. They have won the first of the medals awarded during the war with Germany, and their names are:

Colonel Charles W. Whittlesey, of the 308th Infantry.

Captain George G. McMurtry.

Private Thomas C. Neibaur.

Colonel Whittlesey, then major, and Captain McMurtry were at the head of the famous "Lost Battalion" of the 308th, which lost half its men holding out against the enemy when surrounded in the Argonne forest until relieved five days later.

Private Neibaur distinguished himself when the Rainbow Division took Cote de Chatillon in October by stopping an enemy charge against a ridge single-handed with his automatic, after all others of his patrol detachment had been killed or wounded. In spite of wounds through both knees, he completed the exploit by bringing in 11 Germans at the point of his pistol.

Colonel Whittlesey was the officer who when called upon to surrender, told the Germans to "go to hell."

The citation given out by the War Department shows his command consisted originally of 463 officers and men of the 308th Infantry, and Company K of the 307th Infantry; that this force, without rations or other supplies, held out against greatly superior numbers, and when the enemy sent in a proposal in writing on the fourth day that the command surrender, Colonel Whittlesey "treated it with contempt," although his losses then amounted to 50 per cent of his force in killed and wounded.

Captain McMurtry, who was in direct command of this force, was twice wounded, but continued to encourage and lead his men.

Of Private Neibaur, the citation says he had been sent out on patrol to enfilade enemy machine-gun nests with an automatic rifle. After being wounded he took a position on a ridge toward which the enemy troops drove and, although cut off from his regiment, with the remainder of his detachment killed or wounded, Neibaur kept his automatic at work with such effect that the attack was driven back. Four Germans attacked him at close quarters and these he killed.

"He then moved alone among the enemy lying on the ground about him," the citation says, "in the midst of the fire from his own lines and by coolness and gallantry captured 11 prisoners at the point of his pistol and, although painfully wounded, brought them back to our lines."

The statement concludes by saying that the arresting of an enemy attack in full force was largely due to the individual efforts of Neibaur "whose heroic exploits took place against the skyline in full view of his entire battalion."

Colonel Whittlesey's address is 38 Pomeroy avenue, Pittsfield, Mass.; that of Captain McMurtry, 220 East Seventieth street, New York, and of Private Neibaur, Sugar City, Idaho.

BUY THRIFT STAMPS

Secretary McAdoo Says Government Needs Money.

Washington, Dec. 6—State directors of war savings were requested by Secretary McAdoo to urge the public to fill promptly pledges for the purchase of war savings and thrift stamps and to assume new pledges.

"The government's monetary requirements were never greater nor more pressing than they are to-day," said the Secretary's appeal. "This is not a time for us to relax our efforts, and the Treasury Department is making plans for larger and even more important work during the coming year."

MORE TROOPS HOME

The Transport Orca Arrives With 1,922 Men.

New York, Dec. 6—The British transport Orca, with 1,922 American troops aboard, arrived here yesterday from Liverpool. She is the fourth transport to bring returning soldiers, and received the same noisy enthusiastic greetings which were accorded to her sister troopships.

Seven privates were stricken with pneumonia on the voyage across and one sergeant died of this disease.

Daily Thought.

Whatever chance shall bring we will bear with equanimity.—Terence.

ENEMY-OWNED JEWELS SOLD

Hundreds of Pearls, Rubies and Emeralds Sold for $237,050.

New York, Dec. 6—Enemy-owned jewels seized by A. Mitchell Palmer, alien property custodian, and consisting of 359 pearls, three rubies, and two emeralds, were auctioned here yesterday for a total of $237,050, said to exceed the appraisal price. Virtually all the leading jewelers of the city were represented among the bidders, as were many wealthy women.

The banner lot, consisting of 51 perfectly matched rare pearls, excited spirited bidding. A Fifth avenue firm finally secured them for $75,000.

The jewels were the property of Rudolph Hahn & Sons, of London, and were sent here before the war to be sold on consignment. The Hahns were interned in England and later exchanged for English officers interned in Germany. The jewels were then seized here as the property of enemy aliens.

EX-KAISER MUST FACE TRIAL

In Favor of Expulsion and Exclusion of Enemy Aliens.

London, Dec. 6—David Lloyd George, the British Prime Minister, in the election campaign, gave a restatement of his policy. In it he declares that the men responsible for the war cannot escape because their heads were crowned, but that they must be tried by an international court. Mr. Lloyd George also declared himself in favor of the expulsion and exclusion of all enemy aliens.

Amsterdam, Dec. 6—Documentary evidence of the ex-Kaiser's guilt in urging and planning the war has been found by the Berlin government in its search of the Imperial archives of the Berlin castle, it is announced from Berlin.

GIVES CREDIT TO THE BRITISH NAVY

Sir Eric Geddes Declares that it was the Real Pivot in Great War.

London, Dec. 6—The work of the British Navy during the war was lauded by Sir Eric Geddes, first lord of the admiralty, in his address opening the "sea power" exhibition of pictures and relics in London.

The sea power of the British Navy from the very outbreak of the war, he declared, held all the fleets of the world in a silent grip, crushed the life out of the enemy countries and assured the freedom of the world by its efforts.

Sir Eric pointed out that it was the assistance of the navy which had enabled coal, food and munitions to be sent to Italy and France, while Great Britain's own munitions for the western front had been carried on the back of the navy. It was the navy which had enabled the British expeditionary force to be conveyed to France, in which operations more than 16,000,000 men all told, had been conveyed with a total loss from all causes of less than 5,000 men.

From 1914 to 1917, Sir Eric stated, the tenth cruiser squadron had kept under guard a stretch of sea 800 miles long, from the Orkneys to Ireland, and had intercepted 15,000 ships taking supplies to enemy countries. Although this work had been accomplished for the most part in the dead of night or in bad light, amid tempests and blizzards, less than 4 per cent of vessels succeeded in passing the lines of the blockade.

The British Navy, British sea power, Sir Eric concluded, had been the pivot on which the fate, not only of the war, but of the world had turned.

ALLIES HAVE TURKISH FLEET

German Cruiser Goeben and Russian Warships Included.

London, Dec. 6—The entire Turkish fleet is now in the hands of the Allies, the Admiralty announced. The warships, after surrendering, were interned in the Golden Horn, at Constantinople. The former German cruiser Goeben was among the surrendered vessels.

The text of the official announcement reads:

"All the Turkish warships have surrendered to the Allies and are now interned in the Golden Horn. The Goeben (renamed by the Turks the Sultan Fawes Selim) also surrendered and is now lying at Stenia (on the Bosphorus).

"The Russian men-of-war in the Black Sea fleet which were manned by the Germans have now been handed over to the Allies. They consist of the dreadnought Volga and six destroyers.

"Four German submarines have been taken over, three of which will be sent to Ismid (on the sea of Marmora, 56 miles southeast of Constantinople)."

LOST: amethyst bar pin on West Middle street. Reward. 133 West Middle street.—advertisement

PERSONAL NOTES AND BRIEF ITEMS

Short Paragraphs of Interest. Guests in Many Gettysburg Homes.

MANY VISIT ELSEWHERE

Mention of People on Short Journeys to Nearby Towns and those Spending the Day with Friends here.

Mrs. Annie Wilson has returned to her home on Chambersburg street, after spending some time in Altoona.

Mrs. Paul Crouse and son have returned to their home in Littlestown, after spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Crouse, near town.

Bernard Maguire has returned to his home on East Middle street, after spending a week in Philadelphia and York.

Mrs. Mark Parthemore and son, Mark Jr., of North Washington street, are spending several days in York.

Mrs. Macbeth has returned to New York City, after a visit with Miss Aouda Duttera, Baltimore street.

Miss Eva Welty, of Waynesboro, is a guest of Miss Mary Duttera, of Baltimore street.

Rev. J. B. Baker has returned to his home on York street after spending several days in York attending the sessions of the Lutheran West Pennsylvania Synod.

Mr. and Mrs. James Shindledecker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan P. Stoner and family, and Peter H. Stoner spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos H. Stoner, of Fairfield.

Mrs. Amos H. Stoner, of Fairfield, has gone to the York Hospital, where she will undergo treatment.

CHANGES IN THE WEEKLY PRICES

Butter will Sell at Seventy One and Seventy Six Cents per Pound.

Since the last uniform price list for the grocers of Adams County was published, a general shake-up in the schedule has been made. Most of the changes are comparatively small but there are some noteworthy increases. Cheese, for instance, is now listed at from 46 to 50 cents a pound retail as against the former price of 38 cents. Butter has jumped, and is listed at from 71 to 76 cents. The various flours dropped recently by 40 cents a barrel or five cents a sack.

The local Food Administration has instructions to continue issuing these price lists every week. They are arranged by a committee of wholesale and retail grocers selected from various parts of the county, and appended to each list is a request that any customer paying more than the quotations given, will notify the administrator at once.

The schedule for the coming week as now announced will be as follows:

Wheat, graham and rye flour are now $10.40 a barrel, which makes the eighth-sack cost $1.40, or seven cents a pound.

Bread, wrapped, .09 and .10; unwrapped, .08 and .09.

Canned Corn, wholesale, .14 to .16; retail, .15 to .20.

Canned Peas, wholesale, .16 to .18; retail, .15 to .20.

Fancy canned peas, wholesale, .19 to .21; retail, .25 to .30.

Canned Tomatoes, wholesale, .29; retail, .18 to .25.

Raisins, packages, wholesale, .11½ to .13; retail, .15.

Prunes, wholesale, .12; retail, .15 and .16.

Peaches, wholesale, .17; retail, .15 to .20.

The schedule in addition to the above items is as follows:

	Wholesale	Retail
Corn Flour	.05¾	.07
Corn Meal	.04½	.06
Hominy	.04¾	.07
Barley Flour	.05¾	.07
Rolled Oats	.05½	.08
Rice Flour	.10	.13
Corn Starch per pkg.	.10	.12
Corn Starch per pkg.	.07½	.10½
Blue Rose Rice		.15
Granulated Sugar	.09 15	.10½ & .11
Pea Beans	.10½-.11	.14-.18
Lima Beans	.14½	.18
Pink Beans	.11	.13
Lard, city rendered	.29-.30	.31-.35
New country lard	.27	.32
Old country lard	.25	.28-.30
Lard Substitute	.24½	.28
Cheese	.40-.42	.46-.50
Sardines	.07½-.09	.10-.12
Oleomargarine	.36½	.42
Milk		.13
Boneless Bacon	.43-.49	.47-.55
Creamery Butter	.66-.70	.71-.76
Evap. milk, tall	.15	.15
Beans, Campbell's	1.75 dz.	.20
Beans, Heinz, small	1.35 dz.	.15
Beans, Heinz, med.	2.00 dz.	.22
Salmon, red	3.00 dz.	.30
Salmon, chum	2.35 dz.	.25
Onions	.01-.01¼	.02-.02½

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GOING DEER HUNTING?

Corduroy Hunting Caps, Red Reversible Top, $1.00

Will you have warm, dry feet? It isn't our fault if you don't. All kinds of rubber and leather shoes.

Army trousers of khaki cotton—just the thing for hunting, motor cycling, etc. Reduced from $3.50 and $3.00 to $2.48 and $2.23.

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Automobile Tires and Tubes at Cost

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Promising Opening.

The traveling showman was waxing eloquent as he described the characteristics of his wild horse from Tartary.

"Ladies and gents," he said, "this banimal is a real terror. If there's any gent in this company as fancies hisself as a rider, I'll give him five pounds for every minute he sticks on this hoss. I've rid hosses all my life, but this hoss is beyond me. I've tried 'im every way, but 'e shakes me off in ten seconds."

"Why not get inside him?" queried a humorist.

The showman waited until the laughter had died down.

"My lad," he said, witheringly, "I've thought of that. But nature has been unkind to 'im in the matter of mouth; it ain't big enough. Now, if it 'ad been yours—"

But the humorist did not wait to hear the logical conclusion of the hypothesis.

Naval Nicknames.

Curious nicknames are applied to vessels of the British navy. The Ariadne is known as the "Hairy Annie," or "Haggy Agony;" the Narcissus, as "Nasty Sister;" the Cressy as the "Greaser;" the Inconstant as the "Inkstand," the Iphigenia as the "Silly Jane;" the Lucifer as the "Match Box;" the Hecate as the "He Cat," or "The Tom," and the Neptune as the "Jew's Harp." In the American navy similar nicknames have been used to some extent. The Sassacus was known as the "Sassy Cuss;" the Miantonomoh as "My Aunt Don't Know;" the Wissahickon as the "Widow Higgins;" the Winnebago or perhaps the Wyalusing as "We Know She Goes Slow."—Chicago Daily News.

HOW TO MAKE WET TOWN DRY

Kansas Calls on McAdoo for Help Against Missouri and Gets It.

Pittsburg, Kan.—When in doubt about how to close a booze town in a wet state, next to a dry town, call upon the railroad administration.

This is the advice of country officials here.

Just across the Missouri line for years the Missouri Pacific has had a station at Minden, at which beer and booze, in carload lots, have been unloaded and which later found its way into the mining camps on the Kansas side. All efforts to stop the practice failed.

Recently County Attorney H. W. Timmonds of Barton county, Missouri, asked Director General McAdoo's help. An order was issued closing the Missouri Pacific station in Minden and all freight is sent via the Frisco, which has to switch from this side.

Result, booze in the mining camps is becoming scarce.

Changes German Name.

Atlanta, Ga.—John von Hadeln, an American with a German name, testified before the federal court that he could stand the reflection no longer. So his name is now John F. Vaughn. Vaughn declares he has not a drop of German blood in his veins.

Two Great Levers.

The greatest results in life are usually attained by simple means and the exercise of ordinary qualities. These may for the most part be summed in these two—common sense and perseverance.—Feltham.

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NEWS FROM THE COUNTIES NEARBY

Franklin, Cumberland, and York Contribute Share of Happenings.

OF MUCH INTEREST HERE

Paragraphs of News Items from the Sections Immediately Adjoining Adams County.

FRANKLIN COUNTY

AGED MAN LAY OUT ALL NIGHT

As Albert and Walter Uglow, of Chambersburg, passed the home of Andy Link, an aged man who lived alone in Hamilton township, near West Point, they found Mr. Link lying unconscious outside his home. It is thought that he was seized with a stroke and had lain out all night. He was taken to the Chambersburg Hospital, by D. S. Sollenberger, where he died. He was about 75 years old and is survived by a sister, Mrs. Ella Heyne, of Camden, N. J., and a nephew, Martin Link, of Chambersburg.

CUMBERLAND CO.

DISTRIBUTE BOSLER ESTATE

Distribution of the estate of the late Frank C. Bosler, Carlisle, will be begun shortly under the terms of his will, just filed. The estate is the largest to be disposed of in Carlisle in some years and includes western mining and land holdings and bank and manufacturing stock, with life insurance, aggregating between $750,000 and $800,000. He gives $15,000 to S. Sharpe Houston, of Carlisle, who was for many years his private secretary; his gold watch, a family heirloom, to his oldest son, Frank C. Bosler Jr., and the remainder of his estate to his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Swank Bosler.

YORK COUNTY

BOYS' PRANK

During the past week people who drove teams out the Becker Mill road noticed that their horses always became uneasy when they passed the barns on the Forney farm just at the edge of Hanover.

One man, who drives by this spot every day, got out of his team Wednesday and investigated. He found the head of a bear protruding from the edge of a corn crib by the side of the road. The bear was shot by Claude Forney while on a recent hunting trip, and after it was skinned and cut up, boys at the farm put the bear's head under the edge of the corn crib, where it appears to be crawling out. The horses see and smell this, consequently they always become uneasy as they near the farm.

LARGE CONTRACT AWARDED

Probably the largest contract ever given at Red Lion for fertilizing material was placed by the Red Lion Co-operative association. The contract is for 2,000 tons of materials, requiring forty cars to transport. The ingredients will be used for the home mixing of fertilizers, by the members of the association and patrons.

LARGE STEER

Butcher B. E. Grove, of Red Lion, purchased from Scott Strayer, a steer which weighed 2,020 pounds. Dressed the animal weighed 1,150 pounds. The price paid was 11 cents per pound live weight.

WILL CONDUCT SINGING

David F. Getz, of the York Chamber of Commerce, will have charge of the Christmas Eve singing this year, and a meeting will be held soon to determine the best method to pursue. The last time this was done various church choirs of the city assembled in different parts of Centre Square and sang in rotation, but as the stores will be open Christmas Eve this year, that plan is believed to be impracticable because many of the choir members are employed in stores. One plain in contemplation is to invite the High School chorus of a thousand voices to render a short vocal program at a spot yet to be designated, but which will probably be Christ Lutheran church yard, where the singers would be better shielded from bad weather, if such there happens to be, and where business would be less interfered with. Mr. Getz will confer with several choral leaders and whatever they decide to do will take place.

FELL FROM TRUCK

Riding on the rear end of a coal wagon proved serious to Eldridge Myers, aged nine years, York, for the boy fell off and struck his head on the paved street, cutting his head badly. The accident occurred at the corner of Princess street and Howard alley, where, John Mitzel's coal truck passing along, some boys on their way home from school jumped on behind. Young Myers was one of them and he was the only one who got injured. Patrolman Stroman picked him up and took him to the office of Dr. Laura J. Dice, and then to the York hospital, where his wounds were dressed and then he was sent home.

ARENDTSVILLE

Arendtsville—The Postmaster General requests that persons writing to the soldiers place their name and their post office address on the upper left corner of the envelope, then if it does not reach the soldier it will be returned to the writer.

George Byers, of Waynesboro, is visiting in the home of his cousin, John Walter, and other relatives here.

Miss Ethel Pennypacker, of Parkerford, is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram C. Lady.

Luther Lady and Carman Crum, two of our soldier boys, are home on short furloughs.

Gilbert Hoffman on Wednesday last moved from his father's home in this place, to the Eshelman farm, better known as the Ephraim Lady farm, in Franklin township.

Our town has two new cases of influenza, they are Miss Grace Klepper and Miss Merna M. Sheely.

Thursday morning we had about one inch of snow. In the Piney Mountain, it was reported two inches. That will aid our hunters in deer hunting. The deer are reported plentiful.

HANGED FOR BURNING COAL

There Was a Time When Job of Looking After Production Would Have Been Sinecure.

The present-day restrictions with regard to the use of coal would have seemed very mild to our ancestors, remarks a writer in London Tit-Bits. There is no doubt that the use of what used to be called "sea coal" to distinguish it from charcoal had its drawbacks.

Many look forward to the time when there will be no more smoky chimneys in Britain, when the atmosphere of London will be as clean as it must have been in the days of Good Queen Bess, and when a new building will not be begrimed with soot almost as soon as it is built.

In the reign of Edward I the inhabitants of London petitioned the king against the growing use of coal, declaring that it was "a public nuisance, corrupting the air with its stink and smoke, to the great detriment of their health." Whereupon the king prohibited its use, offenders to be punished for a first offense by a fine and for a second to have their kilns and furnaces destroyed.

The practice of using coal was at length made a capital offense and a man was tried, condemned and hanged for burning coal in London.

In those days the population of England probably did not exceed four or five million, and wood was plentiful and cheap from the vast forests that covered tens of thousands of square miles where now are great towns.

ALWAYS SOMETHING TO DO

Secret of Sir Walter Scott's Marvelous Literary Achievements Told in a Few Words.

"Never to be doing nothing" was the simple but effective rule that enabled Sir Walter Scott to get done the enormous amount of work for which he is noted. A passage in Lockhart's life of the poet and novelist reads:

"Those who observed him the most constantly were never able to understand how he contrived to keep himself so thoroughly up with the stream of contemporary literature of almost all sorts, French and German, as well as English. That a rapid glance might tell him more than another man could gather by a week's poring may easily be guessed; but the grand secret was his perpetual practice of his own grand maxim, never to be doing nothing. He had no 'unconsidered trifles' of time. Every moment was turned to account; and thus he had leisure for everything—except, indeed, the newspapers, which consume so many precious hours nowadays with most men, and of which, during the period of my acquaintance with him, he certainly read less than any other man I ever knew that had any habit of reading at all. I should also except, speaking generally, the reviews and magazines of the time. Of these he saw few, and of the few he read little."

WANTED: "TRAMP PRINTER"

What Has Become of "Rolling Stone That Gathered No Moss?"

Salina, Kan.—Owing to a scarcity of "tramp printers," the like which has never been recorded by the old-time editors, papers in this section of the state are suspending.

The latest is that of the Barnard Bee, published at Barnard, near here. In the last issue of the paper, the editor announced that owing to a lack of surplus printers, it would suspend, until such time as a "tramp printer" came around. In the meantime, the neighborhood will have to go without news.

High Cost of Moving.

Savannah, Ga.—The high cost of moving in Savannah has obliterated the old saw that "it is cheaper to move than pay rent." It now costs from $10 to $20 per load to move, because of the extreme scarcity of labor and the high cost of upkeep.

With Full Hands and Heart

ABBOTTSTOWN

Abbottstown—Morrel W. Miller, of Gettysburg College, spent Sunday here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Miller.

Prof. and Mrs. Norman Haar and daughter, Dorothy, of Hanover, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Haar's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wolf.

Misses Myrna Waltman and Army Wolf spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Philadelphia and Wrightstown, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Berkheimer, of Harrisburg, were guests of Mr. Berkheimer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Berkheimer, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Sanders, of Phoenixville, were guests of Mrs. Sanders' brother, Paul Wolf, and wife, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Criswell, of Lancaster, were recent guests of Mrs. Criswell's mother, Mrs. George W. Miller.

Miss Ethel Benedick and Paul Benedick spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in York.

Mrs. Fred C. Sternat, daughter, Naomi, and son, Theodore, are spending the week with Mrs. Sternat's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Apel, in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brown and family, York, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Stevens and family, Sunday.

BIGLERVILLE

Biglerville—Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Bowers have moved their household goods to Waynesboro where they expect to make their future home.

Misses June and Esther Bigham are visiting relatives in Harrisburg.

Miss Mary Bream is visiting her brother and family in York.

Miss Mabel Rouzer spent Wednesday in Gettysburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lauver, who have been spending the past few months in Washington, are now home in Biglerville.

Levi Gilbert, who has been mustered out of the Service, is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gilbert.

Rev. S. F. Tholan and Samuel Bream have been attending a conference of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of Western Pennsylvaia.

Misses Mildred and Anna Shank, of Harrisburg, are spending some time with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. U. Walter.

Miss Bess McAllister, of Gettysburg, is spending the day in Biglerville.

Miss Verna Bream and brother, of Gardners, were recent guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bream.

Work began on Wednesday at the Musselman glove factory.

Rupert Brooke in Fiji.

Fiji in moonlight is like nothing else in this world. . . . It's all dim colors and all scents. And here, where it's high up, the most fantastically shaped mountains in the world tower up all round, and little silver clouds and wisps of mist run bleating up and down the valleys and hillsides like lambs looking for their mother. There's only one thing on earth as beautiful; and that's Samoa by moonlight. That's utterly different, merely heaven, sheer loveliness. You lie on a mat in a cool Samoan hut, and look out on the white sand under the high palms, and a gentle sea, and the black line of the reef a mile out, and moonlight over everything, floods and floods of it, not sticky, like Honolulu moonlight, nor to be eaten with a spoon, but flat and abundant, such that you could slice thin golden-white shavings off it, as off cheese. . . .—From "Collected Poems of Rupert Brooke."

MUMMASBURG

Mummasburg—Mr. and Mrs. John Kunkle and son, Harry, Mrs. Lydia Miller and son, Elmer, were recent visitors among relatives in Steelton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shue and little nephew, and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Shue, of Hanover, spent Thursday at the home of Samuel Shue and family.

Walry Leatherman, of Waynesboro, spent Thursday at the home of his brother, Roy Leatherman, and family. He was accompanied to the home of his parents, at Harney, by his sister, Miss Elsie Leatherman, who had been spending some time with her brother.

Jessie Leatherman, who is stationed at Dayton, Ohio, is spending a ten days' furlough among his relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harrison and son, Wendell, Mr. and Mrs. T. Reese, of Altoona; Mr. Schriver, of Philadelphia, and George Reily, of near Gettysburg, were recent visitors at the home of George Trimmer and family.

Myrtle, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leatherman, had the misfortune to break her collarbone.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Brenneman and sister, Miss Hettie Boyer, were Mr. and Mrs. Amos Myer and five children.

Mrs. Alice Cullison, of Gettysburg, and Mrs. John Plank were Sunday visitors at the home of George Trimmer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boyd spent Saturday at the home of Carroll Carbaugh, at Bonneauville.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brenneman, Miss Hettie Boyer, Mrs. George Trimmer and daughter, Irene, spent Tuesday at the home of Martin Boyer and family.

Miss Hazel Kint and Ivan Rickrode, of New Oxford, were Sunday visitors at the home of William Kint and family.

Misses Viola and Mary Strausbaugh are spending some time in New Oxford among their relatives.

Mrs. Sadie Fleck spent a few days in Hanover, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lower, of Brysonia, Mrs. Wineman and daughter, Rebecca, of near Seven Stars, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boyd.

Emerson Eckert and family, New Oxford, were Sunday visitors at the home of Quintin Deardorff and family.

Clarence Deardorff, while shredding fodder at the home of Hiram Lady, in Arendtsville, had the misfortune of having his hand caught in the machinery. His thumb and the ends of two fingers were torn off and the muscles in his arm were torn.

CLEAR DALE

Clear Dale—Mrs. Harry Byers and son, Charles, spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hess, of near Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Kump were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Sheely, of Littlestown, on Sunday.

Charles Straley and son, Kenneth, motored to York on Sunday.

Master Robert Crouse is spending the week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Crouse, of near Black's.

Mrs. Calvin Myers and daughter, Pauline, spent Tuesday with John Myers and family, of near Sells Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Myers entertained on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. William Myers and sons, Nevin and Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Straley and children, Catherine, Margaret, Kenneth, and Glen, Mr. and Mrs. Worthington Crebbs and daughter, Gladys.

William Myers killed a porker recently that weighed 405½ pounds.

YORK SPRINGS

York Springs—Charles S. Gardner, of Baltimore, was a recent guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Myers. Mr. Gardner, who was a former resident of Idaville, went to Lake county, Fla., last winter, planted an orange orchard and then returned to Baltimore, where he has since been employed.

Catherine, the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cleaver of near town, broke her right arm at the wrist on Thursday when she fell from a porch roof to the ground below, a distance of about twelve feet.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Myers motored to Baltimore over the week-end. They were accompanied by Miss Hortense Beitman, who will spend some time in the Monumental City.

Dorothy Neely is spending the week with her aunts, Misses Sarah and Martha Lott, of near Gettysburg.

Jesse Sheaffer, of Guam, Philippine Islands, is home on a furlough being the guest of L. Earle Miller and family. Corporal Sheaffer has been in the regular army service for the past twelve years and recently re-enlisted.

Charles Gibb and family and Mrs. William Gibb, of Mt. Holly Springs, were the guests of Postmaster John L. Gibb and family.

Charles Boyer, of Harrisburg, received fatal injuries in an automobile accident between Dillsburg and Wellsville. He and J. P. Schaffer, both employes of the Postal Telegraph Co. were on their way to York in a small car which collided with the bread delivery auto of Tillman Hollinger. Both of the postal men were thrown out and the car upset. Boyer was so badly injured that he died soon after reaching the Harrisburg Hospital.

Henry A. Meals was just as excited and eager as a boy at the opening of the deer hunting season on Monday. He is in his 80th year and has regularly hunted deer in the South Mountain. Mr. Meals is with the Grover Myers club this year.

County Commissioner E. C. Keefer, of York Springs, purchased the farm known as the Emanual Smith place in Huntington township from John Hays, of Carlisle, the owner, at private terms. The farm contains 175 acres.

C. F. Menges, of York Springs, has recently invented and constructed a simple, portable house which no doubt will be extensively copied by campers and hunters in general. The building when assembled is 9 x 12 feet and is bolted together and can easily be taken down and transported by motor truck or wagon. Mr. Menges, who is an ardent sportsman, has placed his miniature house near Laurel this week. With him are Joe Davis, Milton Fanus and George W. Miller.

Marriage.

Marriage is the nursery of heaven. The virgin sends prayers to God, but she carries but one soul to him; but the state of marriage fills up the number of the elect and hath in it the labor of love and the delicacies of friendship, the blessing of society and the union of hands and hearts. It hath in it less of beauty, but more of safety than the single life; it hath more ease, but less danger; it is more merry and more sad; is fuller of sorrows and fuller of joys; it lies under more burdens, but is supported by all the strengths of love and charity, and those burdens are delightful.—Jeremy Taylor.

Brand New Head.

"What a good head the baby has," exclaimed Aunt Madge, who had come all the way from Anderson just to see the new baby in Ashland avenue. "He'll be president, sure."

"It ought to be a good head," put in little brother, whose three-year-old nose is out of joint, "he only has used it two weeks."—Indianapolis Star.

CHURCH NOTICES

YORK SPRINGS METHODIST

York Springs: services, 10:30 a. m.; Hunterstown: 2:30 p. m.; Rock Chapel: 7:30 p. m. Fourth Quarterly Conference at York Springs Monday at 11:00 a. m. Rev. James H. Doherty, pastor.

BIGLERVILLE U. B.

Biglerville: Bible School, 10:00 a. m., followed by preaching services at 11:00 a. m. Mt. Calvary: preaching, 2:30 p. m. Mt. Hope: the nightly evangelistic services at 7:00 p. m. will be continued. Special music will feature the services which will be continued throughout next week at 7:00 p. m. There will be no services at Centre Mills.

TWO TAVERNS LUTHERAN

Preparatory services Saturday at 2:00 p. m. Sunday School, 1:00 p. m.; Holy Communion, 2:00 p. m.

ST. LUKE'S, WHITE HALL

Preparatory services on Friday at 7:30 p. m. Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.; Holy Communion, 10:00 a. m.

BIGLERVILLE LUTHERAN

St. Paul's, Biglerville: Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.; worship with sermon, 10:00 a. m., subject: "At Evening there will be Light".

BENDER'S LUTHERAN

Sunday School, 1:00 p. m.; preaching, 2:00 p. m. The pastor, Rev. S. F. Tholan, will preach an old people's sermon. You are invited.

CASHTOWN REFORMED CHARGE

McKnightstown: Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; Holy Communion, 10:30 a. m.; preparatory services and confirmation on Saturday at 7:30 p. m. Cashtown: Sunday School, 1:30 p. m.; Holy Communion, 2:30 p. m.; preparatory services and confirmation on Saturday at 2:00 p. m. Fairfield: Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

CONEWAGO PRESBYTERIAN

Hunterstown: Sunday School, men's and women's Bible classes, 9:30 a. m.; divine service, 7:00 p. m.

YORK SPRINGS PRESBYTERIAN

Preparatory service Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock; Holy Communion Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

BENDER'S REFORMED

Union Sunday School, 9 a. m.; preaching service, 10 a. m.

ARENDTSVILLE REFORMED

Sunday School, 1 p. m.; preaching service, 2 p. m.

CHRIST LUTHERAN, ASPERS

Sunday School, 1:00 p. m.; preaching, 2:00 p. m.; Christian Endeavor, 7:00 p. m.

GETTYSBURG U. B.

Rev. W. R. Glenn, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30; Christian Endeavor, 6:00; evening worship, 7:00.

SALEM U. B.

Sunday School, 9:00; morning worship, 10:00, Sacrament of Lord's Supper.

REFORMED

Rev. Paul Reid Pontius, pastor. 9:40 a. m., Bible School; 10:30 a. m., Home Mission Day service; 7:00 p. m., the Women's Missionary Society thank offering service. Joseph S. Wise, treasurer of the Home Mission Board, will deliver the addresses at the 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. services. Everybody is invited to be present.

FAIRFIELD LUTHERAN

There will be no church or Sunday School services, on account of illness of pastor and scarcity of coal.

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Or

William McSherry, Attorney.

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BRYSONIA

Brysonia—Mr. and Mrs. George P. Taylor and Miss Isabel and Miss Anna Taylor were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stoner, near Knoxlyn.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cooley and son, Paul, spent Wednesday with C. O. Thomas and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Warren and little daughter, Evelene, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gochenour and two children spent Sunday at the home of Jacob Gochenour, near Wenksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sheely announce the birth of a daughter on the 30th of November.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bream and Miss Ruth Hauer, of Gettysburg, visited at the home of D. H. Orner and family on Sunday.

Mrs. S. J. Taylor spent Wednesday at the home of Jacob Wierman and family in Arendtsville.

Lloyd Cooley, of near Mt. Tabor, and Misses Ada and Eva Funt spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Funt and son, Elmer, visited at the home of Harry Funt on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter and little son were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Harry Funt.

The Better Course.

It is better to fight for the good than to rail at the ill.—Tennyson.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE

125 acre farm, in Butler township, Adams County, Pa., five miles North of Gettysburg, about ½ mile from Table Rock and ½ mile from Railroad station; 119 acres of good farm land and six acres in good oak timber; seven room brick house, well of good water, barn and other out-buildings. This farm will be offered at public sale on the premises Thursday, December 12th, 1918, at 1:30 o'clock P. M. For further information write or call to see George W. Johnson, Martinsburg, W. Va., R. D. 5; or his Attorney, R. F. Topper, Esq., Gettysburg, Pa.

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Plaster	$12.00
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Cement	$2.80
Western Flour	$11.50 per bbl.
Green Cross Feed	$3.25
Hollyo Poultry Mash	$4.00
Schumaker Stock Feed	$3.00
Ear Corn	$1.40
Corn and Oats Chop	$3.00
Cottonseed Meal	$66.00 per ton
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ADVICE TO "FLU" CONVALESCENTS

SPAIN AND ENGLAND REPORT INCREASE IN TUBERCULOSIS AFTER INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC.

U. S. Public Health Service Warns Public Against Tuberculosis. One Million Cases Tuberculosis in United States—Each a Source of Danger.

Influenza Convalescents Should Have Lungs Examined—Colds Which Hang On Often Beginning of Tuberculosis. No Cause for Alarm if Tuberculosis Is Recognized Early—Patent Medicines Not to Be Trusted.

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★ Beware tuberculosis after influenza. No need to worry if you take precautions in time.
★ Don't diagnose your own condition. Have your doctor examine your lungs several times at monthly intervals. Build up your strength with right living, good food and plenty of fresh air.
★ Don't waste money on patent medicines advertised to cure tuberculosis.
★ Become a fresh-air crank and enjoy life.
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Washington, D. C. (Special.)—According to a report made to the United States Public Health Service, the epidemic of influenza in Spain has already caused an increase in the prevalence and deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis. A similar association between influenza and tuberculosis was recently made by Sir Arthur Newsholme, the chief medical officer of the English public health service, in his analysis of the tuberculosis death rate in England.

In order that the people of the United States may profit by the experience of other countries Surgeon General Rupert Blue of the United States Public Health Service has just issued a warning emphasizing the need of special precautions at the present time. "Experience seems to indicate," says the Surgeon General, "that persons whose resistance has been weakened by an attack of influenza are peculiarly susceptible to tuberculosis. With millions of its people recently affected with influenza this country now offers conditions favoring the spread of tuberculosis."

One Million Consumptives in the United States.

"Then you consider this a serious menace?" was asked. "In my opinion it is, though I hasten to add it is distinctly one against which the people can guard. So far as one can estimate there are at present about one million cases of tuberculosis in the United States. There is unfortunately no complete census available to show exactly the number of tuberculous persons in each state despite the fact that most of the states have made the disease reportable. In New York city, where reporting has been in force for many years, over 35,000 cases of tuberculosis are registered with the Department of Health. Those familiar with the situation believe that the addition of unrecognized and unreported cases would make the number nearer 50,000. The very careful health survey conducted during the past two years in Framingham, Mass., revealed 200 cases of tuberculosis in a population of approximately 15,000. If these proportions hold true for the United States as a whole they would indicate that about one in every hundred persons is tuberculous. Each of these constitutes a source of danger to be guarded against."

What to Do.

In his statement to the public Surgeon General Blue points out how those who have had influenza should protect themselves against tuberculosis. "All who have recovered from influenza," says the Surgeon General, "should have their lungs carefully examined by a competent physician. In fact, it is desirable to have several examinations made a month apart. Such examinations cannot be made through the clothing nor can they be carried out in two or three minutes. If the lungs are found to be free from tuberculosis every effort should be made to keep them so. This can be done by right living, good food and plenty of fresh air."

Danger Signs.

The Surgeon General warned especially against certain danger signs, such as "decline" and "colds which hang on."

These, he explained, were often the beginning of tuberculosis. "If you do not get well promptly, if your cold seems to hang on or your health and strength decline, remember that these are often the early signs of tuberculosis. Place yourself at once under the care of a competent physician. Tuberculosis is curable in the early stages.

Patent Medicines Dangerous in Tuberculosis.

"Above all do not trust in the misleading statements of unscrupulous patent medicine fakers. There is no specific medicine for the cure of tuberculosis. The money spent on such medicines is thrown away; it should be spent instead for good food and decent living."

AMERICAN NOW, HE FOUGHT

Sergeant Born in Austria Added to Many Griefs of Emperor Carl.

"Somewhere in France."—Here's a little more grief for Emperor Carl of Austria.

One of the first of the United States marines to be cited for bravery in action in France was Sergt. Louis Cukela, a former cook from Minneapolis, Minn. During a counter-attack by Germans on the night of April 13, Sergeant Cukela handled his men so well that his commanding officers commended him for bravery.

So much for that. July 18, the marines were fighting in the Forest de Retz, near Villers-Commetres, as a part of the great allied counter-attack that was to start the German retreat that lasted until November 11. Again Sergt. Louis Cukela was present—to the extent that when a stronghold of the enemy held up his line, he worked his way to its rear and by use of captured German hand grenades, attacked and captured two machine guns and four men, for which he received the Distinguished Service Cross.

And why should all this bring grief to Emperor Carl? Simply because of the fact that the official record of Sergeant Cukela shows that he was born May 1, 1888, in—

Sebenes, Dalmatia, Austria!

DOUGHNUTS FOR DOUGHBOYS

Three Heroic American Women Fry 10,000 a Day Under Shell Fire.

Paris.—Three heroic American women fried more than 10,000 doughnuts a day under shell fire throughout the fighting on the western front, in order to give the American fighting men some hot, home food to fortify themselves with while driving the Germans.

The particular three whose work has just come to notice through the praise of the soldiers are Mary Bray of Pawtucket, R. I., Mrs. Edith Knowles of Phoenix, Ariz., and Mary Holliday, Indianapolis, Ind., all Y. M. C. A. workers.

Their daily output of 10,000 doughnuts proved an appreciable item in the vast free distribution of small comforts for soldiers carried on by the Y. M. C. A., K. of C. and Salvation Army of the United War Work agencies on the fighting front.

This big output of doughnuts was produced over a bonfire in the field under fire. When supplies ran short they substituted olive oil for lard and sweet condensed milk for sugar, but the doughnuts, crisp, brown and palatable, were tremendously appreciated by the fighting troops.

Why, of Course!

What is that which the postman, the clergyman, the fountains and the wild beasts, all alike say?

Letters, pray.
Let us pray.
Let us spray.
Let us prey.

Approved by Experience.

An eastern clergyman says that kissing is a relic of the dark ages. There are many customs that come down from the dark ages—eating, for one.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

QUICK LET-DOWN IN WAR ACTIVITIES

MEN IN THE VARIOUS CANTONMENTS ALL ARE IN A HURRY TO RETURN HOME.

ROADBUILDING ERA IS DUE

Observers Predict Construction of Good Highways by General Government or Local Communities—Senator Myers Wins by Persistency.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington.—It is a natural consequence of the signing of an armistice which practically puts an end to the war that interest in war activities comes to a halt. Those who were participants or observers of the conditions at the close of the Spanish war can recollect that immediately upon the announcement of the cessation of hostilities there was a wild scramble on the part of all the troops in Cuba and Porto Rico to get home. As there was a prospect of further fighting with the Filipinos in the Philippines, the men did not care so much about leaving those islands.

As soon as the armistice was signed with Germany there was a great let-down in all war matters and particularly among the men who had been sent to the various camps in the United States, who saw no reason why they should be retained in the service. Probably this does not extend to the troops in Europe who still are marching on toward the German frontier. They are seeing something new and it is altogether likely that every American soldier would like to place his foot upon the soil of Germany before he returns to America.

In the opinion of several prominent observers of conditions throughout the country there is going to be a great era of roadbuilding in the near future either by the local communities or by the federal government. Distribution of farm products and the employment of rural motor express lines which will haul these products to market in the cities are likely to bring about two desirable results; one, the reduction of prices to consumers, better prices to the producers, the elimination of the middleman; and the other the building of better roads in order to afford transportation for these vehicles. Now that the war is over congress may take up the subject of good road building by the general government.

There is a tremendous lot of sickness in the families of members of congress. Seldom a day has passed with the house in session, that Speaker Clark did not read one or more requests from members for leave of absence "on account of sickness in the family." Another fruitful excuse for being absent was "on account of making patriotic speeches;" also, "to attend to important public business." Congressman Howard of Georgia is the only man who comes to mind as having asked for leave of absence recently because he wanted to campaign for an election. It is feared that in between periods of watching at the bedside of sick members of the family, congressmen occasionally make a speech or indulge in some other means of relaxation.

Senator Myers of Montana has trouble with almost every bill which he brings forward in the senate. Scarcely a measure of his comes up but it is pushed aside for one cause or another, and oftentimes senators express a desire to scrutinize more carefully his bills, forcing them to be passed over for the time being. The methods of some senators in this regard almost amount to hazing or heckling, but the persistence of Myers is such that he generally succeeds in getting his bills through.

War work clerks are going home as fast as they can make arrangements to leave. In many of the large departments devoted wholly to work brought on by the war cards have been passed around asking the clerks whether or not they desire to remain or go, and it was surprising to the officials to find how many were ready to leave as soon as they could be spared. In a very short time it is expected that many thousands of these war workers will be at home. For the most part they have had all they want of Washington with its high prices and inconvenient methods of living. Besides, with the close of the war, the incentive which brought them to Washington and caused them to engage in this war work is gone. They feel that with the war ended they are no longer war workers. They took a pride in that title, but like many men in the army, they feel that there is really no further necessity for them to continue in the government service.

Senator Ashurst was very anxious to get a bill through the senate, and in his eager manner said: "The reason I am so earnest about it is this: the senate will adjourn today or tomorrow until December."

"Oh, no," remarked Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia.

"Yes, sir, until December; and when it does adjourn and meets in December it will be utterly impossible to pass little bills of this sort," declared Ashurst.

"Why does the senator say the senate will adjourn on that day?" asked Smith.

"I know what I am talking about," asserted Ashurst. "I know that we are going to adjourn until December because I know it; that is all."

All of which showed that Ashurst had been in close consultation with men who are generally informed as to what the senate and house are going to do.

Some idea of the desolation that the Germans are leaving behind as they retire to their own borders can be gained from the fact that more than 350,000 homes in France have been completely destroyed. Belgium and northern France are scarred and laid waste with millions of their men dead or crippled. Germany, too, has lost millions of men, but she has gained, or seems to be in the way of gaining, a peoples' government. But there is one thing besides men that Germany has lost and that is her place among honorable nations—the place of her citizens among honorable men.

Figures collected by the census bureau show that about twice as many people died from influenza in nine weeks as were killed in our expeditionary forces in Europe from the time the first contingent landed until the signing of the armistice. Total deaths in our army of 2,000,000 are estimated at 40,000. The figures collected by the census bureau for the "flu" epidemic included only the larger cities of the country and did not take into consideration deaths from the epidemic in smaller cities, towns and rural communities. In these larger cities about 78,000 deaths were recorded. Philadelphia was hit harder than any other city and Baltimore next hardest.

The next congress will be womanless, unless some vacancy occurs and a woman is elected to either senate or house. There were several opportunities in various states and districts to elect women to the next congress, but the voters did not seem to think that this was the best time to choose women for legislative positions.

Log Cabin Worm.

The evergreen bagworm may be found on several varieties of the trees from which it takes its name, preferably the red cedar and arbor vitae. As a protective dwelling it makes a curious bag remotely resembling the case of the aquatic caddis flies that make homes of tiny pebbles and bits of stick.

A common form of these caterpillars has the habit of building tiny log cabins. When the caterpillar wishes to move from one place to another, it pushes forth the short end of its body, creeps along and carries the house with it. Some strange stories have centered around these interesting insects. It is said that one species in Ceylon was believed by the natives to be composed of individuals who were previously on earth as human beings and stole kindling wood. After their death as human beings, the punishment decreed was that they should return to earth and build homes of kindling wood and ever carry them.

All Her Family Lost.

A woman shell maker at Lyons, France, asked the librarian at the Y. W. C. A. foyer for a copy of the French Revolution. She wanted to reread certain chapters. She had come from a well-to-do family in northern France but had lost all her family and her home, and was making shells. The American Library association was appealed to and she obtained the book she wanted.

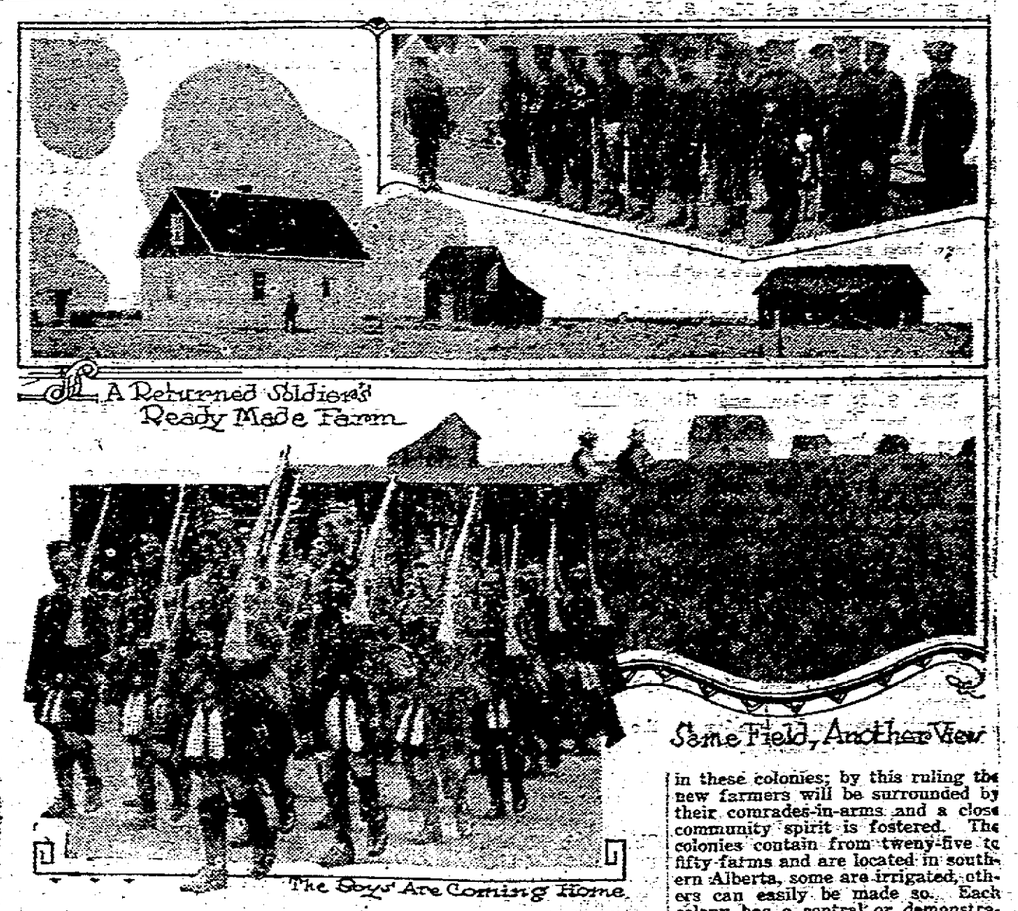
Makes the Whole World Glad.

Love "thinketh no evil," imputes no motive, sees the bright side, puts the best construction on every action. What a delightful state of mind to live in! What a stimulus and benediction even to meet with it for a day.

Alas, Too True.

"Many Millions Short."—Newspaper headline. Lots of persons go on the supposition that you can't believe everything you read in the newspapers, but how few, oh, how few, will doubt this!

FARMS FOR SOLDIERS; SOLDIERS FOR FARMS



Soldier! soldier! where'll we put the soldier? That is the puzzle game now up to the United States and its Allies. The boys are coming home. We are going to give them "one beeg, gran' welcome" as Johnny Canuck puts it. But, after the excitement has worn away what are we going to do? Are we going to repeat the mistakes made at close of the Civil War and let our heroes shift for themselves becoming in many cases objects of charity or inmates of Soldiers' Homes? Or shall we make an effort to fit each man with the right work and help him to become a substantial member of his community?

Canada has had four long years for the study of this problem. Her wounded and discharged have been coming back in a steady stream during this time and plans for education and assimilation have had time to be tested. Perhaps the most successful plan is that of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company which seeks to induce the soldier to take up farming. The benefits of this plan are two-fold: it takes care of the soldier and it ensures an increase in food production.

This scheme is an amplification of the company's successful Ready Made Farm project. It aims to place the returned soldier on a farm provided with living and working equipments. The farms are grouped into communities known as "Soldier Colonies." Only soldiers may settle in these colonies; by this ruling the new farmers will be surrounded by their comrades-in-arms and a close community spirit is fostered. The colonies contain from tweny-five to fifty farms and are located in southern Alberta, some are irrigated, others can easily be made so. Each colony has a central or demonstration farm under the care of an agricultural expert whose advice and help are at the settler's call, while this farm serves as a social centre.

Each farm is equipped with a house, barn and well, is partly fenced and broken, in some cases seeded. Each soldier is provided with live stock and machinery sufficient to operate his 80 or 160 acres. If he lacks the money to set him through the first year, the company will advance the necessary funds. No payments are required for three years. The terms are very easy, being so planned that the soldier farmers will have a good start on the road to prosperity before being called upon for a substantial payment.

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Druggists everywhere are authorized to sell Rheuma on a no-cure-no-pay basis. A bottle contains 15 days' treatment at a cost of only five cents a day, and after you take the small dose as directed once a day for two days you should know that at last you have obtained a remedy that will conquer rheumatism.

For over five years throughout America Rheuma has been prescribed by broad-minded physicians and has released thousands from agony, pain and despair.

Get a bottle at once for trial from

(Medical Advertising)

CELERY KING A LAXATIVE TEA

If You Suffer From Constipation, Upset Stomach or Inactive Liver, Give Celery King a Trial. If You Want Genuine Relief and Want It Quick.

It's a purely vegetable remedy, gentle and effective that drives impurities from the bowels and makes you feel better right away.

Brew a cup of this pleasant remedy when you catch cold, get feverish and are out of sorts.

Use it for sick headache! to give you a sweet breath, clear skin and healthy appetite.

PUBLIC SALE
ON
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1918

The undersigned will sell at his residence in Cumberland township, on the Charles F. Cashman farm, near Barlow, one fourth mile from the Gettysburg and Taneytown Road, the following:

Bay HORSE, five years old, good worker.

FOURTEEN HEAD OF CATTLE

Consisting of five milch cows, two are close springers, the balance are spring cows; four heifers, one fresh in May and one in July, two are seven months old; five stock bulls, three of which are Durham, one Holstein and one Hereford. The above bulls are all large enough for service. One bull six months old. These cows are young and good milkers and should command the attention of buyers.

TWENTY HEAD OF HOGS

One brood sow, with nine pigs by her side; the balance are shoats weighing from thirty to fifty pounds. These are all Berkshire stock.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

Syracuse plow, No. 501; seventeen tooth spring harrow; hay carriage, eighteen feet long. Gears consisting of two sets of front gears, collars and bridles.

Sale to commence at 1:00 o'clock sharp. Terms: a credit of ten months will be given, or four per cent off for cash. Further terms and conditions will be made known on day of sale by

GEO. P. PATTERSON

Thompson, auct.

Christmas Gift Sale
November 27 Until December 25th,
AFTERNOONS and EVENINGS
Miss Laura Lady
21 Steinwehr Avenue

PUBLIC SALE
OF
HOUSEHOLD GOODS
AT
7 Hanover Street, Gettysburg.
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1918

The undersigned will sell on the above day and date at No. 7, Hanover street, the following:

Oak leather cushioned library suit; reclining chair; library table and other chairs; oak dining room suit; fumed oak buffet; oak book case and all other furnishings, including bedroom furnishings and bedding. One set Dickens' works; set Duma's works; set World's History and other books. Dishes; Meadows improved washing machine for engine or other power; lot of slab wood; sixty gallon Bowser gasoline underground tank. Vinegar by the gallon.

Will offer a high grade Vose piano.

Sale will begin at 1:00 o'clock, when terms and conditions will be made known by

J. L. BENEDICT.

PUBLIC SALE
ON
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1918.

The undersigned will sell at public sale on the above day and date at his residence, known as the Kime farm, four miles north of Gettysburg, along the old Carlisle road, the following personal property:

Pair, roan mules, eight years old.

SIXTY FIVE HEAD OF HOGS

Eight brood sows, with pigs by their side; fifteen shoats will weigh about thirty five pounds each; balance are pigs.

ELEVEN HEAD OF CATTLE

Consisting of six milk cows, one fresh now, and one will be fresh by time of sale. Two heifers. Two steers. One bull.

Sale to begin at 1:00 o'clock. Terms: A credit of ten months will be given on notes with approved security. Five per cent off for cash.

JOHN A. KIME.

Slaybaugh, Auctioneer.
Lower, Clerk.

NOTICE

In the Orphan's Court of Adams County, Pa.

In re: Estate of John A. Hall, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pa., deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Katie S. Hall, surviving spouse of the said decedent, has demanded the sum of Five Thousand ($5000.00) Dollars, under the Intestate Act of 1917, and that the said Katie S. Hall, Administratrix of the said decedent, has filed in said Court an inventory and appraisement of the personal property elected to be retained by said surviving spouse, and which was appraised and set apart to her by the appraisers of said estate, under the said intestate Act to the extent of One Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty-one Dolars and Ninety Cents ($1721.90), and that the same was duly confirmed nisi by the said Court on the 11th day of November, 1918, and will be confirmed absolute thirty days therefrom unless exceptions are filed prior thereto.

W. D. Sheely,
Clerk of the Orphan's Court of Adams County.
J. L. Williams, Esq.,
Attorney for Petitioner.

PUBLIC SALE
ON
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1918.

The undersigned will sell at public sale on the Dr. J. R. Dickson farm, one mile west of Hunterstown, the following:

TWELVE HEAD OF DEHORNED CATTLE

Consisting of seven milk cows, two are fresh and some are close springers; two heifers, one will be fresh in January and the other is six months old. Three bulls. These are Holstein and Durham stock.

THIRTY HEAD OF HOGS

Consisting of three registered Berkshire sows which will have pigs the first of February. Two Chester White sows, one will have pigs by day of sale, the other one in February. The balance are shoats ranging in weight from fifty to one hundred pounds.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

Set of hay carriages, twenty two feet long, will carry four tons; Hench and Dromgold sulky plow with corn planter attachment; eighteen tooth Perry harrow; Albright double row corn planter, good as new; walking corn worker, and many articles not herein mentioned.

Sale to begin at 1:00 o'clock, when terms and conditions will be made known by

EARL W. GUISE,

Thompson, Auctioneer.
Deatrick, Clerk.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE® NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

SUGAR SHOWED OUR BACKBONE

American Willingness to Give Up Luxury Demonstrated Nation's War Conscience.

STAND WITH THE ALLIES.

By Reducing Consumption People of the United States Averted a Famine at Home in Spite of Low Supplies.

The fact that the people of the United States were able to reduce by more than one-half million tons their July, August, September and October consumption of sugar proves conclusively that their war conscience was thoroughly awakened and that the country as a whole stood ready to follow the injunctions of the Government.

Our normal consumption of sugar in the four-month period beginning with July has been 400,000 tons per month, a total of 1,600,000 for the quarter year.

In July, when our sugar stringency began to reach its height, consumption was reduced to 260,000 tons. In August only 325,000 tons went into distribution and in September only 279,000 tons. In October the distribution fell to 230,000 tons.

If the general public had failed to observe the injunctions of the Food Administration this country would have been in the throes of a sugar famine before the end of August. Our visible supplies were so low as to bring great anxiety to those familiar with the sugar situation. They feared that it would be absolutely impossible to reduce consumption to a point where sugar would no longer be a mere luxury in the American diet.

Few accomplishments of the Food Administration will stand forth so predominantly as this reduced consumption of sugar. By it we have been able to bridge over the period of stringency until the new beet and Louisiana cane sugar crops were in sight.

Now the nation is in a position so that if we choose we may return to our normal home use of sugar, and Europe, with the release of ships to go far afield, can maintain its recent restricted rations. If, however, those nations are to increase their use of sugar very considerably it must be by our continued sharing with them through limiting our own consumption.

[illegible] Motion.

"Another [illegible] that I've noticed in my advertising [illegible] observed the almost [illegible] that a fellow who has a bright [illegible] about him is usually pretty [illegible]

FOR SALE

Double brick house on 60x200 foot lot to private alley, containing 8 rooms each with bath, basement cellar and mansard roof. One block from Post Office on East High street. Sold to close estate.

DR. W. H. O'NEAL
Baltimore street.

PUBLIC SALE

ON

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1918

The undersigned intending to move on a 2 horse farm will sell at public sale on the Carman H. Myers farm, midway between Five Points and New Chester, near Holtz's Mill, the following:

1 PAIR GOOD MULES

Blacks, 3 years old, 16 1-2 hands high, broke extra good, both quiet and gentle and have been worked over a year.

10 HEAD OF CATTLE

SEVEN MILCH COWS, all young and good strong milkers as follows: No. 1, a Holstein cow carrying second calf, due latter part of March; No. 2, a Holstein carrying second calf and due in December; No. 3, a Holstein carrying third calf, due in December; No. 4, a Jersey carrying fourth calf, due in January; No. 5, a Guernsey cow carrying 4th calf due in November; No. 6, a Guernsey carrying third calf, due in January; No. 7, a Durham cow carrying third calf and due in January. No. 8, a Holstein heifer 10 months old; No. 9, a Holstein bull fit for service and weighs about 750 lbs., good stock. No. 10, a Fat Holstein bull weighing about 1,300 pounds.

LOT FARM MACHINERY

Consisting of one good home-made 2-ton wagon and 60-bushel bed, 1-2 ton Spring Wagon; good McCormick binder; 9-hoe Crown Grain Grill, only used two seasons; one new 3-horse Wiard Long Plow; one Hench corn worker; one Spangler corn planter; Perry harrow; set 16 ft. hay carriages; hay fork; and 130 feet new rope; 3 sets home-made front gears; collars; bridles; check lines; choke straps; wagon whip; lead reins; halters; flynets; cow, breast and halter chains; forks; shovels; milk cans; single, double and triple trees; cross-cut saw; maul rings, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale begins at 12:30 p. m. 12 mos. credit or 5 per cent off for cash.

DAVID E. AHLERS

W. C. Ensor, auct.

YANK IS "HIGH-BROW"

Censor Says Letters Home Show Intelligence of Soldier.

Missives to Mothers Make Light of Wounds, and Say They're All Going to Berlin.

Paris.—"To get a good idea of the high intelligence of the average American soldier, one should have a job of censoring letters," said an American officer, who had just been released from a front hospital where both privates and officers were cared for.

"While recovering from my wound," he continued, "I used to pass away the time acting as temporary censor for the wounded, and also for part of the hospital personnel.

"And the letters that those chaps wrote were wonderful. Especially the letters to their mothers. They were diplomatic, that's all. Most of the letters the wounded wrote would start off with some commonplace comment on the weather or the war and then the writer would casually mention that he had been wounded. But the next sentence invariably would be something like this:

"'Don't worry a bit, mother, about me. I'm getting along fine; it's only a slight wound and I'm getting fat on hospital food. Everyone treats me great, the nurses and the doctors are fine, and I'll be out in a jiffy.'

"Another thing that struck me about those letters was that almost all of them were correct grammatically. Several times the writers would speak of books they were reading. I'll confess I have never read such deep matters as they were taking up.

"And patriotism had its part in every letter, always a line about the war ending with the Americans on top. They were all going to Berlin, and going as conquerors, too—those chaps."

Not So Bad After All.

A lot of people forget that today is the fatal tomorrow about which they were so worried.—Wilmington Journal.

WANTED!

Small stocked farm to work on by year or month. Can furnish some help.

Inquire at

TIMES OFFICE

PUBLIC SALE

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1918.

The undersigned will sell at his residence in Liberty township, on what was formerly known as the P. H. Riley homestead, situated two and a half miles south of Fairfield, and one mile north of the Waynesboro 'pike, the following:

THREE HEAD OF HORSES AND COLTS

Consisting of the following: bay horse, 12 years old, will work wherever hitched and a good driver; roan mare colt, rising 3 years; bay mare colt, 6 months old. The above colts will make good horses when grown out.

20 HEAD OF CATTLE

Eight milk cows, one fresh in December, and balance will be fresh during the winter. Among these are some excellent young cows. Seven heifers, two will be fresh in March; five stock bulls, two Holsteins, one red Durham bull, one Polangus bull. The above bulls are all large enough for service; one bull six months old.

52 HEAD OF HOGS

Three brood sows, carrying second litter, will farrow middle of March; 39 head of shoats weighing 30 to 80 pounds; 10 fat hogs will average from 175 to 225 pounds each.

LOT OF WOOD

Sawed in stove length, by the cord; and many other articles not herein mentioned.

Terms: A credit of ten months will be given on all sums of ten dollars and over. Under this sum, cash; notes to be given with approved security. No goods to be removed until settled for.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock.

O. M. STINE.

A. Winton Crouse, Auctioneer.
J. A. Spangler, Clerk.

MEETS HIS SON IN TRENCH

Ohio Father Enlists to Be Near His Soldier Boy and Joins Him Overseas.

Toledo, O.—News of the reunion of father and son in a front-line trench in northern France reached Mrs. Oscar Smith this week.

Lonnie Smith, seventeen years of age, enlisted more than six months ago and was sent overseas. His father, Oscar Smith, thirty-eight, who is a veteran of the Spanish-American war, worried over the absence of his son and enlisted in the hope that he could be near him.

He asked to be put in the same division with his son. Lonnie Smith had no knowledge of his father's enlistment until they met in front-line trenches.

Mrs. Smith is engaged in Red Cross work in the Toledo chapter and is keeping her remaining three children in school until her husband and son return.

IS SHE CHAMPION KNITTER?

Ohio Woman of 80 Years Sets a High Mark for Her Younger Sisters.

Cleveland, O.—Mrs. C. L. Newell, eighty years old, is the champion knitter of Cleveland. Although she is decidedly past the age when most women do much knitting, Mrs. Newell has set a mark of 175 pairs of soldiers' socks and ten soldiers' helmets in the last twelve months. She has no near relatives in the war, but says she is going to keep up her knitting pace as long as there is a demand for her handiwork.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of Mary Marguerite Holder, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested to make payment, and those having claims against the estate to present them, without delay, to

MARY L. BUSHMAN, Administratrix
Gettysburg, Pa.

Or to her Attorney,
J. L. Williams Esq.,
Gettysburg, Pa.

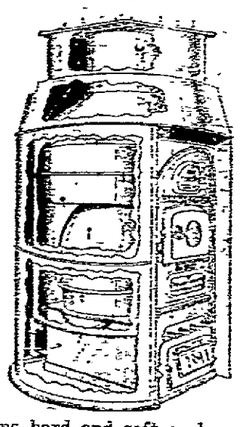
(Medical Advertising)

DIDN'T RELISH TWO YEARS OF STARVATION

"I have delayed writing to see if my relief was permanent; can say that I am feeling fine. Three doctors told me I had ulcers of the stomach and no medicine would help me, but your Mayr's Wonderful Remedy has done so. I am now a well man again after two years of starvation and suffering." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

People's Drug Store and druggists everywhere.

THE MODERN WAY OF HEATING WITH THE FAULTLESS COMFORT Pipeless FURNACE



Burns hard and soft coal or wood. Requires from 25 per cent to 40 per cent less fuel than the old styles. Heats the entire house from one register. Sold on a guarantee. Can change old style furnaces into pipeless furnaces. See me for prices and terms.

Agent for Adams County
Both 'Phones BIGLERVILLE, PA.
L. L. ULRICH

Wine at a Launching.

When a war galley was launched by the Vikings men were bound to the rollers so that the keel was sprinkled with their blood. The practice of breaking a bottle of wine over a ship's stem at the launch is regarded as a survival of this savage Scandinavian practice or "reddening the rollers," as it was called, just as the custom of leading an officer's charger before the coffin at his funeral is a survival of the practice of sacrificing a chieftain's wives and horses at his pyre.

Remove Mildew.

Take any common soap, size according to area of material that is affected. Cut soap in small pieces, add a little water to it and put on top of stove until dissolved. When about the consistency of cream take from the fire. Stir in common salt and cover the mildewed fabric with the mixture. If one application does not suffice, two will be sure to do the work. After applying the mixture, expose to the sun for some hours and then wash off.

(Medical Advertising)

THERE IS JOY IN GOOD HEALTH SINCE TAKING TONALL SAYS FARMER MILLER

"I suffered from loss of appetite and was extremely nervous," says Ira S. Miller, a well known farmer living near Delta, York County, Pa.

"I needed a medicine and I heard the neighbors speak so highly of Tonall, I began using it. My appetite improved at once, and got back my ambition to work again.

"There is joy in having good health and since taking Tonall I have it. Tonall certainly did me much good."

This testimonial was given August 11, 1918.

TONALL is sold at all leading drug stores in Gettysburg, and E. T. Auker, New Oxford.

Unreasonable.

Several boys were holding a conference on the street corner. One boy kept correcting another's mistakes in English until the offender suddenly squared himself before his critic and demanded, "Gee whiz! what is vacation for if a feller has to talk proper all the time?"

Yes, Why Is It?

Said the facetious feller, "Why is it when a man goes to a butcher shop and learns that the price of a chuck roast is 55 cents a pound he involuntarily allows his mind to revert to thoughts of the flesh and the devil?"—Indianapolis Star.

(Medical Advertising)

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts to banish it brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

These pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids. It is best not to take calomel, but to let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

Most headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "loggy" and "heavy." Note how they "clear" clouded brain and how they "perk up" the spirits. 10c and 25c a box. All druggists.

(Medical Advertising)

NERVES ALL ON TENSION?

A mother in the home, or a man or woman at business, with nerves undone and the system generally feeling the strain, should find wonderful help in

SCOTT'S EMULSION

Powerful sedatives or strong medicines are habit-forming and dangerous. The logical help is a form of nourishment abundant in tonic properties. *Scott's* brings strength to the body, through nourishment that is felt in every part. ***If inclined to be nervous, the logical answer is—Scott's Emulsion.***

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 12-25

OYLER & SPANGLER

The Oldest Established Hide and Fertilizer Dealers in Adams County

We remove dead stock within a radius of 20 miles and pay you for it.

Our prompt service in this line will please YOU.

"Save your fertilizer bags. They are worth $2.00 for 12 bags if filled at our factory.

Don't Forget we pay the highest price for Hides.

BOTH PHONES GETTYSBURG, PA.

Service Is the Order of Today

We owe it to our Government
We owe it to our Community
We owe it to our family
We owe it to our friends
We owe it to ourselves

The President says be joyful and optimistic—therefore we say clothes are essential; they are exhilirators; they put one at his best, the right kind of clothes will; so wear Lippy made clothes

A Special Line of Ready-to-Wear Overcoats Await Your Inspection

J. D. LIPPY, Tailor

Heroism.

Heroism is always the same however the fashion of a hero's clothes may alter. Every hero in history is as near to a man as his neighbor, and if we should tell the simple truth of some of our neighbors, it would sound like poetry.—George W. Curtis.

(Medical Advertising)

Have you a bottle in your house? Pleasant to take and children like it. Results guaranteed.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In re: Estate of Harry Paterson, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of the above decedent have been granted unto the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Adams County, Pennsylvania. All persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to the said decedent to make payment without delay unto the undersigned.

EDGAR A. CROUSE, Administrator, whose address is First National Bank Building, Gettysburg, Penna. Or

His attorney, John D. Keith, Esq., First National Bank Building, Gettysburg, Penna.

H. A. SPALDING

will have a carload of Virginia Colts, ranging from two to four years old, from

Saturday December 7th, to Tuesday, December 10th, at Gettysburg.

(Medical Advertising)

Such Women Just Have to "Give Up"

"Man may work from sun to sun, but woman's work is never done." That's why women are overworked, nervous, all run down, no appetite, and can "hardly drag around." Vinol creates a hearty appetite, strengthens the digestive organs, induces sound sleep, invigorates the nerves, and in this natural manner creates working strength.

Narragansett Pier, R.I.

"I was all run-down, back ached, and tired all the time. I keep house for my husband and four children and could hardly keep around. Finally I tried Vinol and it has restored my health and helped me wonderfully, so I recommend it to others who are in this condition." Mrs. Hannah Randall.

Jacksonville, Ill.

"I keep house for my little family, but got into a weak, nervous, run-down condition, tired all the time and no ambition. My doctor told me to try Vinol, and in a week I felt like a new person. I am now strong again, look after my baby, and do all my housework."—Mrs. G. H. Lamson.

For all run-down, nervous, anaemic conditions, weak women, overworked men, feeble old people and delicate children, there is no remedy like Vinol.

Vinol Creates Strength

People's Drug Store, C. Wm. Beales, Prop., and druggists everywhere.

DON'T : MISS : OUR : HOLIDAY DISPLAY

Our elegent line of Holiday Goods is open for inspection. Call early and make your selections.

EXQUISITE CREATIONS IN JEWELRY

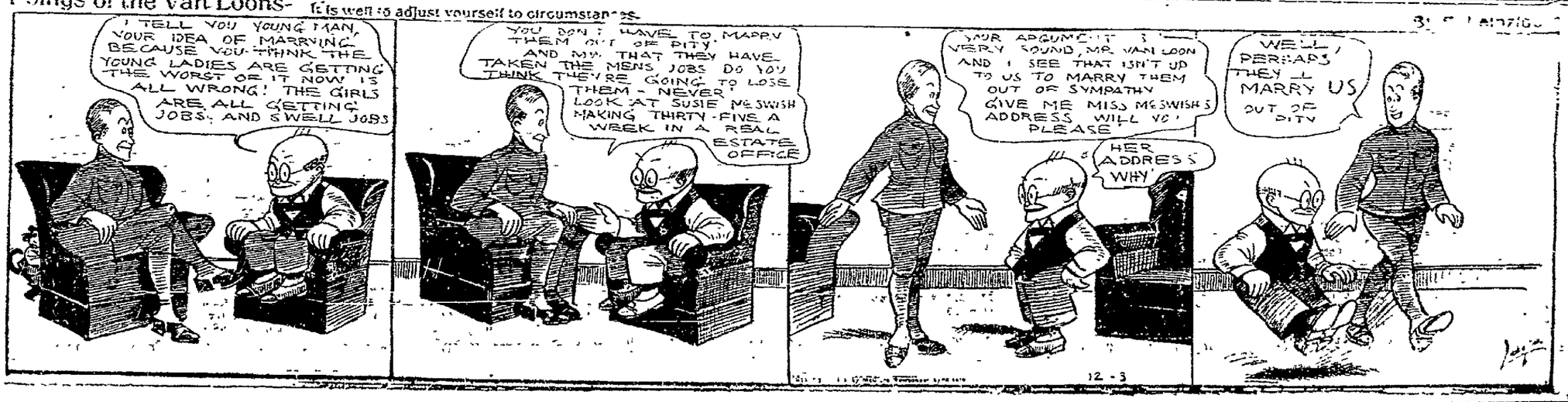
BEAUTIFUL PATTERNS OF SILVERWARE

Our fine Holiday stock is full of Quality, Variety, Beauty and Good taste. It is easy to select from supplies exactly what you want, and it would be a mistake to buy before you see it.

SARBAUGH
Jeweler

Square & Broadway, Hanover, Pa. | Center Square, Gettysburg, Pa.

Doings of the Van Loons— It is well to adjust yourself to circumstances.



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THE LEADERS

Christmas Buying Now In Full Blast

We call attention to our well stocked store of

USEFUL GIFTS

and also to the fact that every day almost lessens choice in some lines.

We will hold for delivery any article you purchase now. Come in and look around if your mind is not made up. Our display will give you suggestions. Watch this space for suggestions from day to day. Stock too large and varied to name even a hundredth part any one day.

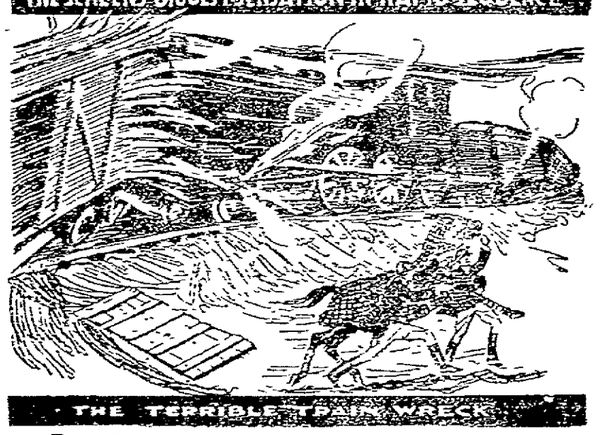
G. W. Weaver & Son

J. FRANK HATCH FILM CO. PRESENTS

THE PHOTO-MELODRAMA OF A THOUSAND BIG THRILLS

THE WHIP

THE SCREEN'S BIGGEST SENSATION IN RAPID SEQUENCE



THE TERRIBLE

Fast Saratoga express train speeding 75 miles an hour crashes into box car three seconds after the great race horse the WHIP was taken out of the box car. The entire train was hurled down a steep embankment.

The WHIP in the most realistic horse race that has ever been shown on the American stage. It holds you spellbound and brings back the days when you visited the grand circuit races. It makes your blood boil at the villainy of the villain.

The automobile race with a fast express train is thrilling, but when the automobile starts down a steep mountain zig-zag road and strikes a run, turns turtle, and the driver is badly burned—more audience to the villain.

The fox hunt is very spectacular and compels the audience to hold its breath as the horses take the hurdles.

At Lincoln Way Theatre

Friday, Dec. 6th, at 6:30 p. m.

SATURDAY matinee at 2:30 p. m. and SATURDAY EVENING at 6:30 p. m.

ADMISSION 10 and 20 cents. Plus war tax.

Be sure and come Friday night as it is larger than a five ring circus and you will want to see all three shows.

(Medical Advertising.

Steel Worker Gets Amazing Relief in Severe Case of Inflammatory Rheumatism

Advises 20th Century Liniment in All Cases of Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sciatica, Etc.

Read what he says:

"I am a steel worker employed by the Scranton Bolt and Nut Works. Those who know the occupation of Puddling Iron will fully realize the danger of catching cold. With me a slight cold developed into inflammatory rheumatism and for three months I could not move hand or foot. Doctors could give me no relief and for five days before using 20 Century Liniment I neither ate nor slept. It was only after much persuasion that I allowed a friend of mine to try your liniment. Five minutes after 20 Century Liniment was applied I felt the first relief from pain in three months, and that very night I slept from 10:30 to 6:30 A. M., and awoke without pain. In one week I was up and around, and the end of the second week was back at work. If anyone feels doubtful as to the merits of 20th Century Liniment and will write me, I will dispel any doubts they may have.—Thos. A. Caveney, 926 Capouse Ave., Scranton, Pa."

20TH CENTURY LINIMENT has brought relief to thousands of sufferers. It draws all the painful soreness and swelling from Rheumatic joints and does it so surely and speedily, it seems almost like magic. If you don't find quick relief, take the bottle back to your druggist and get your money back. What this truly wonderful liniment has done for others it can do for you also.

All druggists can supply you.

(Medical Advertising)

Says Cold Weather Brings Return Of Influenza

Public Must Be Careful To Avoid A Second Epidemic. Easer To Prevent Than Cure. What To Do.

"Encouraging reports of the fewer cases of Influenza in this vicinity should not allow us to relax our vigilance or to become careless in the belief that the danger is all over," says a well known authority. With the coming of cold weather there is apt to be a return of this frightful epidemic and its seriousness will depend on the extent of the precautions, taken by the public, to prevent infection.

When the air is full of influenza germs, you may be constantly breathing them into your nose and throat. But their danger may be avoided and you may make yourself practically immune to infection if you destroy the germ before it actually begins work in your blood.

During the recent serious epidemic, which hit Gettysburg so hard, most successful results were obtained by many through the simple breathing into the nose, throat and lungs of the medicated air of oil of Hyomei. Probably no better, safer or more sensible precaution against Influenza, Grippe, Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis or Catarrh of the nose and throat could be employed than to go now to the nearest drug store and get a complete Hyomei outfit consisting of a bottle of the pure Oil of Hyomei and a little vestpocket hard rubber inhaling device into which a few drops of the oil are poured.

Carry this Inhaler with you during the day and each half hour or so put it in your mouth and draw deep breaths of its pure healing germicidal air into the passages of your nose, throat and lungs to destroy any germs that may have found lodgement there. This simple precaution may save you a serious illness and the loss of several weeks work. It is pleasant to use and not at all expensive as the inhaler will last a lifetime and further supplies of the Oil of Hyomei can be had at any drug store for a few cents.

Hundreds of people in this vicinity used Hyomei in this way during the recent crisis and avoided danger. They should not neglect it now for the danger is by no means over.

(Medical Advertising)

A DEAD STOMACH

Of What Use Is It?

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BETSY ANN SMITH

By MAY N. PALMER.

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There was a gathering of excited young people at the station at Brantwood waiting for the arrival of the 3:10 train. They were all old schoolmates of Betsy Ann Smith, who had left the town four years before to attend an exclusive boarding school and finish her education.

During that time she had been home only once and made a very brief visit.

When the train drew in they watched each arrival eagerly and saw a young lady, who seemed to resemble Betsy Ann. But could this be Betsy? There was hardly a trace of the sweet unaffected girl they had known in this radiant creature, whose clothes made all the others seem shabby. She had grown very pretty, and as she descended the steps many admiring glances followed her.

"Some peach," said one young fellow to another.

"I'll be her meal ticket," said another.

The little group was speechless for a moment, but John Russell broke the ice by stepping forward and putting out his hand saying, "Hello, Bets! You sure do look fine."

"Call me Bettina, please," she said as she coolly shook hands.

"Oh gee!" groaned Rob White, "she's finished all right." Rob had been her special attendant in days gone by and had expected to continue in that capacity, but her manner effectually squelched any hopes he had entertained.

Her coolness put a damper on their spirits, and they walked along rather silently, the thousand and one questions they intended to ask her nipped in the bud. She left them with an invitation to come to a party the following week and every one accepted. The party was a great success, and soon Betsy was the most popular girl in town because of the many new ideas she had gathered while at boarding school.

Rob White's drooping spirits had revived somewhat and he timidly offered to escort her home one evening. She accepted because as the son of the wealthiest man in town he was the most sought after by the other girls.

One day in August, when the heat seemed almost unbearable, Mrs. Smith had a large ironing to do, mostly for Betsy.

"Betsy dear," she said (she had refused to call her Bettina), "I'd like your help today. I shall never get through without some assistance."

"Oh mother," sighed Betsy, "you know today is the day of the picnic at Pine Grove. I have charge of it and I simply must be there."

"Very well," said her mother. After she had gone Mrs. Smith sat down and wept. Oh why did she have such a selfish daughter? And yet she knew that she had been weak and indulgent. Then a thought came to her and soon a plan had formed which she hoped would cure her willful daughter.

When Betsy returned she found the ironing untouched and her mother in bed.

"Mother, are you sick?"

"I seem to feel so tired that I thought a few days' rest in bed might help me."

"I'll call Mrs. Courtney, mother. She's so kind I know she will help us out."

"No, Betsy. I've decided not to bother our neighbors. You are quite old enough to take a little care on your shoulders."

Betsy went slowly into the kitchen. There was no way out. She would have to get along until her mother was better. "Well," she thought, "I may as well get something to eat, for I'm starved.

"Oh! here are some chops mother intended for supper. I'll have the chops and potatoes and some of this cake with strawberries and cream, and that will do nicely."

Not having the slightest idea about the time required to cook them she put on the potatoes, started the chops and went into the garden to pick some roses. Becoming absorbed in her task she forgot all else until her mother's voice aroused her. Then she rushed into the kitchen only to find that the chops were black, and that the water had boiled away from the potatoes and they too were burned.

The tears rolled down her cheeks and she felt utterly discouraged. But after that things went better and in a few days she found that she was really beginning to like it.

And then one never-to-be-forgotten day Betsy was in the midst of her baking when there came a knock at the door. Thinking it was the grocer's boy she called "come in."

The door opened and in came Rob White. He stopped and looked at her in amazement, and there was something in his glance which sent the color into Betsy's cheeks until they were red as rose.

Then he laughed and said, "Do look at yourself in the glass, Betsy." She looked and saw a rosy face with a smudge of flour on nose and cheeks and chin.

"Well, when you have got through laughing perhaps you'd like to try one of my doughnuts."

"M—m! Good!" said Rob. Then drawing her to him he said, "Betsy I've loved you for a long time but never dared to tell you so. Couldn't you cook for three dear?" And Betsy left the print of a floury hand upon his shoulder as she softly whispered, yes.

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